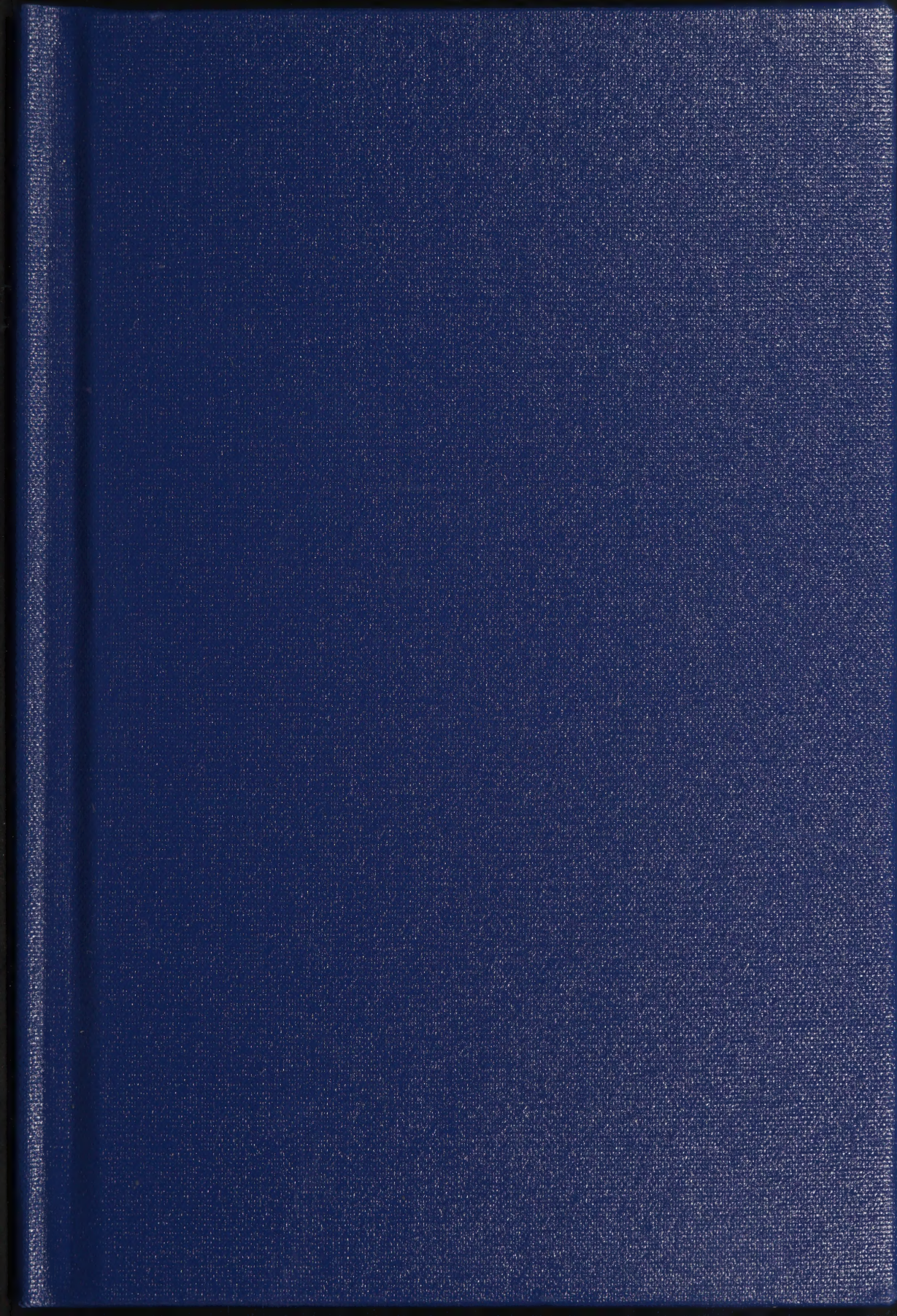




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IMPORTANT

All taxpayers should read the following requirement and comply with it.

Section 74, Chapter 10, Revised Statutes of Maine.

“Before making an assessment, the Assessors shall give reasonable notice in writing to the Inhabitants, by posting notifications in some public place in the Town, or shall notify them, in such other ways as the Town at its Annual Meeting directs, to make and bring into them true and perfect lists, of their polls and all their estates, real and personal, not by law exempt from taxation, of which they were possessed on the first day of April of the same year. If any resident owner, after such notice, does not bring in such lists, he is hereby barred of his right to make application to the Assessors or the County Commissioners for any abatement of his taxes, unless he offers such lists with his application and satisfies them that he was unable to offer it at the time appointed.”

TO THE CITIZENS OF THE TOWN OF RUMFORD:

We respectfully submit our report for the year ending
December 31st, 1936.

FRANK M. TAYLOR,

HECTOR A. RODERICK,

JOHN A. RUBINO,

CLARENCE ABBOTT,

LESLIE A. WHITE,
Selectmen of Rumford.

BION F. JOSE,
Town Manager.

COMMITTEE OF FIFTEEN

F. O. EATON

A. F. HINDS

J. I. DORION

WILLIAM J. FLANAGAN

WILL ROBERTS

E. C. FROST

R. BROOKS STRATON

THEODORE F. SPEAR

JOHN B. MARTIN

PETER MacDONALD

James McGREGOR

WALTER G. HICKS

PHILIP THOMAS

A. E. STEARNS

MATTHEW McCARTHY

TOWN OFFICERS, 1936

Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor

FRANK M. TAYLOR, Chairman

HECTOR A. RODERICK

CLARENCE ABBOTT

JOHN A. RUBINO

LESLIE A. WHITE

Town Manager

BION F. JOSE

Tax Collector

WILLIAM F. CYR

Treasurer

AMY B. LYON

Clerk

AMY B. LYON

Auditor

GEORGE H. CLUNIE

Assessors

J. A. McMENNAMIN, Chairman

JOSEPH E. ARSENAULT

WILLIAM A. BARTLETT

School Committee

STUART F. MARTIN, Chairman

JAMES W. HARRIS

ENA C. CARRIER

Superintendent of Schools

L. E. WILLIAMS

Health Officer, School Physician, Milk Inspector

DR. THOMAS S. BURR

Library Trustees

MRS. E. S. KENNARD, Chairman

MRS. JOHN A. GREENE

L. E. WILLIAMS, Secretary

LEWIS M. IRISH

CHARLES A. MIXER

Rumford and Mexico Water District Trustees

FRED J. ORINO, President

JOHN P. MacGREGOR, Treasurer

ARTHUR GAUTHIER

School District Trustees

JAMES W. HARRIS, President

ENA C. CARRIER, Treasurer

STUART F. MARTIN

C. WALDO LOVEJOY, Clerk

WILLIAM T. ROWE

DISTRIBUTION OF EACH \$1.00 APPROPRIATED AND ASSESSED 1936

Library	...	.012
Indebtedness		.049
Roads		.080
Poor		.141
State and County Tax		.199
Misc. *		.236
Schools		.283

*—Includes:

	Memorial Day
Abatement of Taxes	Insurance
Armistice Day	Overlay
Assisting Local Militia	Misc.
Chisholm Ski Club	W.P.A. Materials
Salaries	1935 Overdraft
Rumford Point Fire Protection	Condensate Pump
Roosevelt Foundation	

REPORT OF TOWN MANAGER

To the Selectmen, Town of Rumford, Maine:

GENTLEMEN:

Herewith submitted is a report of the activities engaged in during the year 1936.

At the Annual Meeting an effort was made to anticipate the relief load and adjust other departmental appropriations so that the total tax commitment would not increase over that of previous years. With the idea in mind it was necessary to curtail some of the services rendered to a degree that was below the minimum requirements.

Arrangements were made at the beginning of the year to extend the much needed storm water sewer system and this work was carried on until the flood of March 19th. On that date all construction work ceased except that necessary to rehabilitate the flood damage at the Morse Bridge. Ridlonville Bridge, Railroad Bridge and several road washouts. The town by availing itself of all State and Federal Funds possible will be able to take care of the loss at a cost to the Town of about \$50,000.00 and incidentally these replacements are being made along lines to not only stop a repetition but to take care of a substantial increase in water should it become necessary. The total cost of the replacements and safeguard improvements will approximate \$300,000.00.

As was anticipated a year ago the work relief program carried on by the Federal Government did not have the beneficial effect on the welfare department that the previous Federal programs had. The unemployment situation showed an improvement the first part of the summer, but in July the action taken by the Continental Paper and Bag Corporation place an additional load on the Welfare Department.

It is possible at this time to negotiate municipal obligations at a low rate of interest and it seems feasible to liquidate such serial notes and bonds as become due and payable in 1937 with an issue of an equivalent amount at a lower rate of interest.

It seems reasonable to expect that the Federal Relief Agency will carry to completion the flood relief work at and near the Morse Bridge, but it seems especially desirous at this time to keep in mind the Public Works Projects that were started and not finished, namely: a cattle pass at Hall Hill, the much needed improvement of the Isthmus Road and the making and placing of concrete pipe for a storm water sewer system and also the foot bridge that the voters of the Town favorably considered at the Special Meeting held on December 11th, 1936.

Respectfully submitted,

B. F. JOSE,
Town Manager.

ASSESSORS' REPORT

TAXATION, a compulsory contribution to the public funds for the support of government.

The burden of taxation, by the constitution of the State of Maine, is placed upon property, real and personal, tangible and intangible. Your assessors must attempt to tax all property "according to the just value thereof" and at the same rate or taxation. This is an impossible task under and conceivable circumstances. It can be poorly accomplished only when the efforts of your assessors meet with cooperation from property holders and their representatives. With but few exceptions such cooperation prevails and your board wishes to express its gratitude.

The condition of the present records is not such as is desirable. To bring them up to a proper standard would require considerable time, effort and expense, but once done it would insure against loss through worthless tax deeds, of which there are already too many with the town treasurer.

All real property should be more adequately described, either by correct boundaries or by reference to the county registrar's record of transfer by book and page number. A tax map should be prepared showing the location of each parcel of land, their dimensions, if lots, and their acreage, if unplotted.

Land should be classified as residential, mercantile, agricultural, timberland, marshland, cutover and wasteland.

Buildings should be classified according to their use and cubic foot content.

Personal property is most difficult of equitable assessment. It would obviously be unjust to assess an annual tax at the rate of .0515 on industrial shares that paid five percent dividend.

Intangible property almost universally escapes local taxation. To remedy this might give some relief to real property.

Recognizing the imperfections in the results of their endeavors the board of assessors respectfully submit these remarks and the following report:

ASSESSORS' REPORT

<i>Detail of</i>	1935		1936	
<i>Personal Property</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Value</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Value</i>
Horses and Mules ..	129	\$ 5,550.00	128	\$ 5,750.00
Colts, 2-4	1	25.00	2	50.00
Cows	565	11,140.00	494	10,205.00
Oxen	18	765.00	12	430.00
2 years old	145	2,160.00	129	1,935.00
3 years old	88	1,760.00	90	1,800.00
Sheep	5	20.00	4	15.00
Poultry	1160	460.00	1508	603.20
		\$21,880.00		\$20,788.20
Stock in Trade		236,815.00		227,435.00
Pulp Wood		190,000.00		190,000.00
Raw Material		96,000.00		96,000.00
Finished Products ...		26,500.00		20,600.00
Radios	1109	27,750.00	1045	26,125.00
Musical Instruments .		9,325.00		8,025.00
Carriages		350.00		400.00
Portable Mill		500.00		500.00
Logs, Ft.				150.00
Gasoline Tanks				18,500.00
Furniture				3,350.00
Other Personal Property		1,019,435.00		908,110.00
		\$1,606,675.00		\$1,519,983.20

VALUATION

Real Estate (Resident)	\$3,416,115.00	\$3,419,170.00
Real Estate (Non-Resident)	1,747,250.00	1,743,865.00
Total Real Estate	\$5,163,365.00	\$5,163,035.00
Personal Estate (Resident)	245,510.00	228,868.20
Personal Estate (Non-Resident)	1,383,145.00	1,291,115.00
Total Personal Estate	\$1,628,655.00	\$1,519,983.20
Total Valuation	\$6,792,020.00	\$6,683,018.20
Rate of Taxation	.0515	.0525
Property Tax	349,789.03	350,858.45
Excise Tax	8,448.09	8,447.68

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Poll Tax	7,410.00	7,680.00
Hotel Harris Tax	500.00	500.00
Miscellaneous Income		1,602.67
	\$366,147.12	\$369,088.80

APPROPRIATIONS

TO BE RAISED BY TAX ASSESSMENT

	1935	1936
School Funds	\$ 80,000.00	\$ 82,000.00
Repairs	1,000.00	2,000.00
Insurance	2,200.00	1,800.00
Miscellaneous	4,200.00	4,200.00
Evening School	1,000.00	800.00
School Lights	2,400.00	2,700.00
Home Economics	600.00	700.00
Manual Training	1,300.00	1,500.00
Tax Abatements	3,000.00	3,000.00
Assisting Militia	150.00	150.00
Chisholm Ski Club	300.00	300.00
Memorial Day	75.00	75.00
Town Insurance	2,500.00	3,000.00
Town Miscellaneous	7,000.00	7,000.00
Office Supplies & Officers Expenses		2,500.00
Maintenance and Operation of Municipal Buliding		5,500.00
Salaries	17,250.00	19,700.00
Roads	19,000.00	12,000.00
Winter Maintenance of Roads		8,000.00
Equipment	4,004.00	
Armistice Day	75.00	75.00
Tarvia	10,000.00	5,000.00
State Aid Road	1,865.00	1,865.00
State Road Maintenance	582.00	1,335.00
State Aid Road Patrol	600.00	540.00
Third Class Maintenance	1,019.00	852.73
W. P. A.	3,000.00	5,000.00
Mother's Aid	4,500.00	4,500.00
Hospital Fund	2,500.00	2,500.00
Town Poor	45,000.00	45,000.00
Library	4,250.00	4,250.00

Interest	18,000.00	16,200.00
Debt Payment	23,000.00	2,000.00
Overdraft	17,281.89	28,635.66
Payment R. E. House Claim	180.74	
Rumford Point Fire Protection		300.00
Strand Theatre Damages		214.22
Condensate Pump, Municipal Bldg.		550.00
Roosevelt Foundation		50.00
Morse Bridge Appro. in 1935 to be assessed in 1936		5,000.00
W. P. A. Appro. in 1935 to be as- sessed in 1936		4,000.00
Hospital, Old Bills	925.92	
Emergency Construction	2,500.00	
Total Tax Appropriations	\$281,258.55	\$284,792.61
Overlay	2,408.02	2,060.64
County Tax	22,444.89	22,444.89
State Tax	51,035.66	51,035.66
School District	9,000.00	8,755.00
Total Tax Commitment	\$366,147.12	\$369,088.80
Appropriation from Loan Income ..	45,000.00	
Appropriation to be assessed in 1937		
Flood Expenses		15,100.00
W. P. A.		10,000.00
Total Appropriations	\$411,147.12	\$394,188.80

JAMES A. McMENNAMIN,
JOSEPH A. ARSENAULT,
WILLIAM A. BARTLETT,
Assessors.

ABATEMENT OF TAXES

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Total Expenditures</i>
February	\$3,000.00	\$
December		3,000.82
Overdraft	.82	
Equal Total Expenditures	\$3,000.82	

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ARMISTICE DAY

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Total Expenditures</i>
February	\$ 75.00	\$
November		75.00

ASSISTING LOCAL MILITIA

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Total Expenditures</i>
February	\$ 150.00	\$
July		150.00

CHISHOLM SKI CLUB

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Total Expenditures</i>
February	\$ 300.00	\$
Accounts Payable		300.00

MEMORIAL DAY

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Total Expenditures</i>
February	\$ 75.00	\$
May		75.00

ROOSEVELT FOUNDATION

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Total Expenditures</i>
February	\$ 50.00	\$
Accounts Payable		50.00

DAMAGES TO STRAND THEATRE

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Total Expenditures</i>
February	\$ 214.22	\$
March		214.22

RUMFORD POINT FIRE PROTECTION

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Total Expenditures</i>
February	\$ 300.00	\$
March		300.00

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COUNTY TAX

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Total Expenditures</i>
February	\$22,444.89	\$
October		22,444.89

STATE TAX

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Total Expenditures</i>
February	\$51,035.66	\$
December		46,035.66
Accounts Payable		5,000.00
		\$51,035.66

SCHOOL DISTRICT ACCOUNT

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Total Expenditures</i>
February	\$6,255.00	\$
May		2,500.00
December		3,000.00
Accounts Payable		3,255.00
		\$6,255.00

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INSURANCE

CREDITS	EXPENDITURES				Totals
	Trucks & Cars	Compensation	Town Shed	Municipal Building	Officer's Bonds
February	\$ 91.17	\$	\$	\$	\$ 91.17
(Appropriation) ..	\$3,000.00				
March					15.00
April		739.27			75.00
June		321.24			321.24
August	25.95			162.50	370.03
September	1.98			130.00	131.98
October			21.00		21.00
November			31.50	529.80	561.30
Accounts Payable				133.20	133.20
	\$3,025.95	\$1,060.51	\$52.50	\$955.50	\$2,459.19
			Unexpended Balance		566.76
					\$3,025.95

SUSPENSE — GAS & OIL		EXPENDITURES			
CREDITS		Gas	Oil	Alcohol	Grease
		\$	\$	\$	\$
January 1st, on Hand					
February	\$ 922.60	46.50			
March	935.80	1,008.76	81.43		
April	543.86	869.31			35.08
May	554.47	647.38	78.30		
June	709.14				
July	643.50	1,275.25			49.03
August	516.32				
September	456.57	1,200.15	93.92		295.99
October	424.48	384.40	8.41		11.00
November	398.42	433.28	91.62		10.78
December	927.22				
Accounts Payable ..		366.26			22.44
		812.40	177.33	115.43	52.25
Totals	\$7,032.38	\$6,997.19	\$531.01	\$115.43	\$476.57
Accounts Receivable	13.40				
Overdraft	\$7,045.78				
	1,120.92				
Equal Total Expen- ditures	\$8,166.70				\$8,166.70

SUSPENSE — CLOTHING & GARDENS

	CREDITS	EXPENDITURES			<i>Totals</i>
		<i>Clothing</i>	<i>Furniture</i>	<i>Gardens</i>	
			\$	\$	
February	\$	\$175.00			\$175.00
March	129.51	10.23			10.23
April	147.36				
May	9.48				
June				142.16	142.16
July		2.40	11.52	.70	14.62
August	145.36		1.31		1.31
October	3.60	1.20			1.20
December	26.09	15.13			15.13
Accounts Payable		10.96			10.96
Totals	\$461.40	\$214.92	\$12.83	\$142.86	\$370.61
			Unexpended Balance		90.79
			Equal Total Credits		\$461.40

SUSPENSE — WOOD

	CREDITS	EXPENDITURES		Totals
		Stampage	Cutting	
		\$	\$	
January 1st, Wood on Hand				\$1,458.57
January	\$ 20.50	367.20	651.10	1,018.30
February	1,020.34	574.17	780.23	1,354.40
March	933.48	117.20	824.02	941.22
April	692.55	100.00	533.59	633.59
May	389.88	100.00	59.46	159.46
June	165.00		42.17	42.17
July	85.50		29.12	29.12
August	111.00		41.33	41.33
September	97.55		112.32	112.32
October	107.00		203.28	203.28
November	399.00	75.88	205.81	281.69
December	2,851.30	3.00	526.59	529.59
Accounts Payable			1,242.83	1,242.83
Totals	\$6,873.10	\$1,337.45	\$5,251.85	\$8,047.87
Accounts Receivable	18.70			
Overdraft	\$6,891.80			
	1,156.07			
Equal Total Expenditures	\$8,047.87			

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TOWN MISCELLANEOUS

CREDITS			EXPENDITURES					Totals		
	Street Lights	Elec- tion	Outside Fire Hydrants Calls & Water Tub.	Water, Fire Hydrants & Water Tub.	Surplus Food & Signs Surplus & Cloth- ing	Ceme- teries	Misc.	Totals		
January (Appropriation)	\$7,000.00	\$ 37.33	\$ 7.40	\$ 158.10	\$.45	\$	\$ 176.03	\$ 221.21		
February	4.00	87.75	972.75				2.21	1,220.81		
March		369.60		20.00	37.75		110.16	517.51		
April		65.37			187.32		339.95	612.64		
May	70.84	48.41	7.40		18.85		279.91	354.57		
June	2,060.64	131.33	144.65		79.91		121.39	482.28		
July		46.42	11.50		1.33		140.24	190.49		
August		95.70	15.98		39.00		198.96	589.14		
September	50.00	137.07	175.50		6.25	106.02	98.61	523.45		
October	.50	127.30	17.84		7.46	9.50	67.69	229.79		
November	100.00	60.50	120.00			121.74	6.91	309.15		
December		5.10	48.80		8.38	54.80	59.57	176.65		
Accounts Payable		560.87	29.33	379.85	17.50	.42	253.26	1,249.20		
Totals	\$9,285.98	\$1,777.75	\$1,551.15	\$537.95	\$37.50	\$372.99	\$496.52	\$6,087.42		
				Unexpended Balance				2,598.56		
				Equal Total Credits				\$9,285.98		

SALARIES

CREDITS

EXPENDITURES

	Caretaker Municipal Building	Tax Collector	Town Clerk & Treasurer	Health Officer	Town Manager	Clerks & Select- men's Office	Assistants Welfare Depart- ment	Assessors and Assist- ants	Truant Officers	Other Officers	Totals
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
January (Appropriation) 1,500.00	121.50	134.89	85.73	199.98	223.04	139.80	270.00	20.25	128.00	72.65	1,275.95
February 66.66	121.50		114.30	199.98	223.04	157.47	235.00	2.25	128.00		1,508.47
March (Appropriation) 18,200.00	121.50	176.93	171.45	299.97	334.56	223.43	405.00	324.00	128.00		2,057.91
April 252.44	121.50		114.30	199.98	223.04	197.52	300.42	519.00	128.00		1,912.41
May 66.66	121.50	58.65	114.30	199.98	223.04	177.41	288.00	208.50	64.00	68.00	1,514.73
June 66.66	121.50		114.30	199.98	223.04	189.42	320.00	50.00		39.00	1,447.42
July 66.66	121.50	190.18	114.30	199.80	223.04	243.18	255.00	50.00			1,328.51
August 66.66	121.50	121.51	114.30	199.97	334.56	220.50	370.00	50.00	96.00		1,978.04
September 66.66	121.50	314.06	171.45	299.97	223.04	150.70	270.00	105.00	128.00		3,216.16
October 66.66	121.50	1,853.64	114.30	199.98	223.04	146.00	270.00	50.00	128.00		1,359.50
November 66.66	121.50	106.68	114.30	199.98	223.04	172.36	295.00	135.00	96.00	243.00	1,892.18
December 133.32	121.50	242.00	114.30	199.98	223.04						
Totals \$20,685.70	\$1,458.00	\$3,198.54	\$1,419.28	\$2,599.74	\$2,899.52	\$2,142.59	\$3,553.42	\$1,314.00	\$1,152.00	\$497.64	\$20,864.73
Overdraft 179.03											

Equal Total Expenditures\$20,864.73

TOWN OF RUMFORD

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STATE AID ROAD

CREDITS			EXPENDITURES					Totals
	Tar	Guard Rail	Patching	Labor	Tar	Sand		
January—Carried Forward from 1935 ..\$	3.41						\$450.02	
February (Appropriation) ..	1,865.00						107.99	
June ..		8.38					21.83	
July ..	99.61		5.77	16.06			100.56	
August ..		62.76		37.80			11.29	
September ..		11.29					233.38	
December—Due from State ..	1,865.00			15.88	212.50	5.00		
Totals ..	\$3,733.41	\$82.43	\$5.77	\$69.74	\$212.50	\$5.00	\$925.07	
		Unexpended Balance carried forward to 1937 ..					2,808.34	
		Equal Total Credits ..					\$3,733.41	

THIRD CLASS CONSTRUCTION

	CREDITS			EXPENDITURES		
	Labor	Gravel	Materials	Guard Rails	Totals	
January — Carried forward from 1935 ..	\$ 13.53	\$	\$	\$	\$	
August	1,286.66					1,286.66
September	983.02	54.65	59.57	37.55		1,134.79
October		152.00	27.35			179.35
November	37.55					
December	2,751.36	166.83				166.83
Totals	\$2,802.44	\$206.65	\$86.92	\$37.55		\$2,747.63
		Unexpended Balance carried forward to 1937			54.81	
		Equal Total Credits				\$2,802.44

STATE HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE

	Credits	Expen- ditures
February Appropriation	\$1,335.00	
December		\$ 612.00
Unexpended Balance		723.00
Equal Total Credits	\$1,335.00	
STATE AID ROAD PATROL		
	Credits	Expen- ditures
February (Appropriation)	\$ 540.00	
December		\$ 540.00

THIRD CLASS MAINTENANCE

	CREDITS		EXPENDITURES	
	Labor	Gravel Materials	Total	
January — Unexpended Balance from 1935	\$ 255.00	\$	\$	
February (Appropriation)	852.73			180.17
May		273.47	6.70	20.78
June				43.71
July		43.71		160.60
August		81.75		9.00
September				37.55
November				
Totals	\$1,107.73	\$298.93	\$6.70	\$146.18
		Carried Forward to 1937 ..		\$451.81
		Equal Total Credits		\$1,107.73

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	CREDITS		Sanding	Tarring	EXPENDITURES		Totals
			\$	\$	Outside	Tarvia	\$
February (Appropriation)	\$5,000.00						
May		183.63	183.63				183.63
June		12.50		1,319.07	386.76		1,809.21
July		1,476.11	103.38	496.42	36.10		532.52
August		43.63		8.80		641.77	650.57
September		40.65		.85		3,912.64	3,913.49
October		184.65					
November		5.50					
December		301.66	261.25				261.25
Totals	\$7,064.70		\$548.26	\$1,825.14	\$422.86	\$1,554.41	\$7,350.67
Accounts Receivable	87.38						
Overdraft	\$7,152.08						
	198.59						
Equal Total Expenditures	\$7,350.67						

WINTER MAINTENANCE OF ROADS

CREDITS

EXPENDITURES

	Town Snow Work	Town (Outside Corp.)	State Highway Snow Work	State Highway Snow Work	State Outside Snow Work	Sanding	Snow Bank	Fence	Totals
January	\$2,241.18	\$1,435.39	\$1,616.15	\$ 644.83	\$ 83.55	\$245.50	\$	\$	\$ 6,286.60
February (Appropriation)	2,267.64	1,061.78	1,167.67	292.33	44.43	57.98	118.82	2.40	5,013.05
March	1,4139	298.55	225.54	58.00	14.98	21.81	13.60	79.81	1,672.55
April								32.76	79.81
May	2.94								32.76
June	61.74								32.76
July	3,522.40								32.76
August	174.20	68.70						29.00	34.00
October									174.20
November	2.00	119.70	190.63	34.73		39.83	300.20	71.72	68.70
December	627.91						730.09	371.66	373.92
Accounts Payable	1,916.45						214.41		2,114.55
Totals	\$11,728.67	\$8,274.39	\$2,984.12	\$3,199.99	\$1,029.95	\$142.96	\$1,258.30	\$587.35	\$17,961.00
Accounts Receivable	64.87								
Overdraft	\$11,793.54								
Equal Total Expenditures	6,167.46								
	\$17,961.00								

MISCELLANEOUS INCOME

1936

Rentals:

Rumford & Mexico Water District	\$ 487.50
Rumford Falls Village Corporation	1,400.00
Treasurer of State—Armory	500.00
Individuals, etc.—Hall	90.00

Licenses:

Victualer's, Pool Rooms, etc.	227.75
Dog Taxes	388.10

Fees:

Town Clerk	643.97
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Taxes:

Treas. of State—Bank Stock Tax	603.66
Railroad, Telephone	935.95
Dog Taxes	170.97

Profit on Outside Work-----486.86

Supplementary and Old Taxes-----943.36

Total credits received in 1936-----\$6,878.12

Amount credit to 1936 Tax Commitment-----1,602.67

\$5,275.45

Paid Treas. of State for Dog Taxes-----\$ 570.00

Balance to be carried forward to 1937-----\$4,705.45

EQUIPMENT RESERVE ACCOUNT

Equipment	Cost	Date Purchased	Annual Amount Reserved	Total Amount Reserved
International Truck	\$2,002.00	1935	\$ 400.40	\$ 800.80
International Truck	2,002.00	1935	400.40	800.80
Concrete Pipe Forms	2,144.00	1935	428.80	498.71
F. W. D. Truck	9,860.00	1935	1,972.00	1,972.00
Compressor	1,725.00	1936	345.00	345.00
Dodge Pickup	550.00	1936	110.00	110.00
Interest Received				27.51

\$4,554.82

Purchased in 1936-----2,275.00

Amount in Equipment Reserve Jan. 1st, 1937-----\$2,279.82

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MOTHER'S AID

	Credits	Expenditures
January (Appropriation) -----	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 20.00
February " -----	3,500.00	1,011.89
March -----		60.34
April -----		966.50
May -----	4.50	
June -----		124.01
July -----		802.43
August -----		473.88
September -----		39.30
October -----		7.20
December -----		77.08
Accounts Payable -----		1,258.00
Totals -----	\$ 4,504.50	\$ 4,840.63
Overdraft -----	336.13	
Equal Total Expenditures -----	\$ 4,840.63	

HOSPITAL FUND

	Credits	Expenditures
January (Appropriation) -----	\$ 350.00	\$
February " -----	2,150.00	514.64
March -----		175.21
April -----		616.93
June -----		486.72
August -----		931.40
Totals -----	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,724.90
Overdraft -----	224.90	
Equal Total Expenditures -----	\$ 2,724.90	

STATE POOR

	Credits	Expenditures
January -----	\$ 2.00	\$ 754.81
February -----	2.40	1,622.77
March -----	1.00	1,530.94
April -----	130.45	2,014.21
May -----	4,907.05	660.58
June -----	109.81	1,088.67
July -----	80.27	1,763.79

August -----	.33	1,542.89
September -----	3,321.23	1,580.93
October -----	471.13	1,184.23
November -----	4,301.18	455.46
December -----	6.60	1,433.94
Accounts Payable -----		2,105.36
Totals -----	\$13,333.45	\$17,738.58
Accounts Receivable, Due from Treas. of State -----	4,405.13	
	\$17,738.58	

STATE POOR

Names	Expenditures	Rec'd from Treasurer of State	Due from Treasurer of State
Abbott, Mary -----	\$ 473.29	\$ 368.15	\$ 105.14
Arsenault, Adolph -----	60.76	15.30	45.46
Arsenault, John J. -----	59.59	55.39	4.20
Arsenault, John L. -----	76.55	76.55	
Arsenault, Marie Rose -----	112.35	101.10	11.25
Aucoin, Eugene -----	45.50		45.50
Babineau, William -----	162.95	58.15	104.80
Baker, Charles -----	108.50	109.00	.50
Bartest, Frank -----	65.77	65.77	
Beaudette, Wilfred -----	113.10	113.10	
Beaudry, Theophile -----	201.44	201.44	
Belsh, Uasel -----	232.20		232.20
Bernard, George -----	215.74	198.74	17.00
Bernier, Desire -----	118.00	78.50	39.50
Berry, John -----	5.00	6.10	*1.10
Billings, Jairus S. -----	94.74	84.74	10.00
Blais, Gerard -----	73.39	73.39	
Blais, Joseph F. X. -----	36.95	36.95	
Blanchard, Fred -----	10.11	10.11	
Bonvie, Walter -----	470.95	470.95	
Bouchard, Arthur -----	164.89	151.39	13.50
Sundry -----	92.63	92.63	
Brown, Marshall -----	70.70	70.70	
Cannon, George -----	237.35	212.80	24.55
Carstens, Charles -----	28.09	28.09	

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Carrignan, Edward	275.00	191.00	84.00
Carver, Herbert	135.78	135.78	
Casey, Fred	109.68	109.33	.35
Champagne, Louis	98.97	98.97	
Charity, Celina	136.35	136.35	
Charity, Edward	453.06	333.73	119.33
Comeau, James	379.85	269.12	110.73
Coombs, Thomas	9.00	9.00	
Cote, Philip	196.60	196.60	
Cotton, Charles	25.00	25.00	
Cyr, Adelard	26.50	25.43	1.07
Dame, Norman	335.68	314.53	21.15
Dessert, Oliver	70.14	70.14	
Dolan, Kenneth	86.85	86.85	
Downs, John	31.50		31.50
Dube, Adrien	82.13	2.40	79.73
Dutremble, Romeo	92.36	92.36	
Easter, Issac	9.60	9.60	
Sundry	86.10	4.50	81.60
Sundry	33.09	32.74	.35
Fuller, Herman	125.14	87.85	37.29
Fulton, Robert	403.91	379.66	24.25
Gallant, Vera	17.29	2.29	15.00
Gilbert, John	87.00		87.00
Gilbert, Joseph	69.36	69.36	
Gaudreau, Maxime	61.66	40.45	21.21
Goguen, Phileas	114.00	74.00	40.00
Gould, George	45.96	38.96	7.00
Grassette, Wilfred	115.16	107.71	7.45
Sundry	120.19	120.19	
Halsuelk, Harry H.	117.50	117.50	
Hamner, Martin	306.75	272.19	34.56
Haapala, Frank	113.75	113.75	
Hammill, Arthur	37.78	37.78	
Hargrove, Oscar	70.70	1.50	69.20
Herbert, Robert	20.00	20.00	
Hickey, Albert	64.65		64.65
Holland, Joseph Patrick	11.00	11.00	
Hood, William	49.50	49.50	
Hopkins, Mrs. Albert	118.80		118.80
Hopkins, Earl B.	241.63	185.70	55.93
Howard, Lawrence	6.00	6.00	
Johnson, Alphonse	108.93	34.80	74.13

Lacroix, Hermaine	4.20	4.20	
Lambert, Charles	19.10	19.10	
Lefebvre, Louis	19.20		19.20
Legere, Ola	332.09	288.89	43.20
Lisok, Michiajl	28.07		28.07
Lilback, Eino	40.29	40.29	
Manzer, Harry	17.80	17.80	
Martilla, Constant	415.45	415.45	
McDougall, Angus	43.00	43.00	
McMillan, Marshall	40.00	40.00	
Niskanen, John	114.10	114.10	
Nocera, Frank	13.20	13.20	
Ohrn, Peter	91.69	91.69	
Ouellette, Adelard	244.83	190.15	54.68
Patrick, Mike	18.80	18.80	
Paul, Charles	341.90	341.90	
Sundry	6.64	6.64	
Peltier, Damase	64.39	64.39	
Peppin, Paul	648.05	437.40	210.65
Perreault, Sophia	3.86	3.86	
Poulin, Emery	15.51	15.51	
Prescott, Earl	12.06	9.56	2.50
Prevost, Joseph	27.29	18.29	9.00
Princaivitch, Alec	172.24	172.24	
Richard, Alban	116.00		116.00
Richardson, Edwin	30.59		30.59
Richardson, George	218.30	158.16	60.14
Robbins, Lawrence	98.98	98.98	
Roberts, Edward	182.00	138.50	43.50
Robichaud, Henry	59.79	59.79	
Robins, Theophile	582.21	330.97	251.24
Roman, Steve	33.87		33.87
Rostar, William A.	20.29	20.29	
Rowe, Henry	192.10	48.85	143.25
Russell, Sidney	159.15	52.35	106.80
Sakalaukus, Joseph	515.54	351.64	163.90
Selby, F. Willard	255.86	255.86	
Sedelnick, John	259.65	189.71	69.94
Shank, Aime	49.43	49.43	
Silver, Leslie A.	9.00	9.00	
Sundry	110.19	54.05	56.14
Small, Fred	2.00	2.00	
Smith, John S.	17.86		17.86

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Smith, Joseph-----	250.06		250.06
Stewart, Eugene-----	103.90		103.90
Stone, Wallace A.-----	184.61	184.61	
St. Cyr, Fred-----	64.25	64.25	
Swartz, Katherine-----	1.00		1.00
Sundry -----	91.00	91.00	
Taylor, Mrs. Florence-----	87.39	53.90	33.49
Terrio, Edward-----	13.00		13.00
Thebeault, Clement-----	93.18	93.18	
Therriault, Edward-----	11.40	11.40*	
Therriault, Marcel-----	160.20	160.20	
Thibodeau, Joseph-----	531.27	376.73	154.54
Tibbetts, Elmer-----	1.00	1.00	
Turbide, Albert-----	72.10	59.50	12.60
Varnum, Clarence-----	485.97	296.64	189.33
Waite, Albertine-----	268.40	268.40	
White, Daniel-----	575.48	511.82	63.66
Woods, Wilfred-----	586.13	337.83	248.30
Zailis, Ignatus-----	80.24	80.24	
	\$17,738.58	\$13,333.45	\$4,405.13

*Transferred to Town.

OTHER TOWNS' POOR

	Credits	Expenditures
January -----	\$	\$ 46.41
February -----		372.55
March -----	24.00	243.81
April -----	9.00	318.41
May -----	416.66	38.04
June -----	179.50	311.86
July -----	256.13	184.80
August -----	348.87	214.18
September -----	16.50	113.55
October -----	427.80	177.61
November -----	80.00	89.68
December -----	50.78	238.71
Accounts Payable-----		348.07
Totals -----	\$1,809.24	\$2,697.68
Accounts Receivable-----	888.44	
	\$2,697.68	

OTHER TOWN'S POOR

		Expen- ditures	Rec. from Other Towns	Due from Other Towns
Albany	Adams, G. Strout_	\$ 10.73	\$ 1.25	\$ 9.48
Mexico	Arsenault, Mark_	3.00	3.00	
Bethel	Bartlett, Earl_	2.50		2.50
South Paris	Barry, Howard S._	16.00		16.00
Mexico	Sundry _	2.20	2.20	
Lubec	Blanchard, Fred_	3.14		3.14
Auburn	Brooks, Evelyn_	39.60	39.60	
Portland	Crawford, Jas. W._	61.43		61.43
Lubec	David, Earl_	3.60		3.60
Auburn	Delano, Grace_	11.25	11.25	
Mexico	Dorr, Ceylon_	4.00	4.00	
Portland	Doucette, Alfred_	18.00	18.00	
Moose River	Doyon, Eddie_	2.99	2.99	
Litchfield	Dube, Joseph M. P.	501.88	357.83	144.05
Canton	Fisher, Stanley_	195.22	132.95	62.27
Auburn	Freve, John_	265.03	252.13	12.90
Waterville	Galarneau, Wm._	245.90	192.60	53.30
Limington	Gallant, Jones_	11.97		11.97
Mexico	Gaudet, Edgar_	4.80	4.80	
Bangor	Glidden, Joseph_	76.41	65.91	10.50
Caribou	Jalbert Benjamin_	5.00		5.00
L'v'm'e Falls	Jeness, Elsie_	22.35	22.35	
New Sharon	Judkins, Theodore.	4.90	4.80	.10
Rangeley	Keyo, Harry_	12.26	11.52	.74
Upton	Lane, Roscoe_	4.11		4.11
M'T'n'ket	Levasseur, Leo_	104.15	104.15	
Solon	Longley, Edward_	99.46	76.96	22.50
Waterville	Martin, John_	2.50	2.50	
Mexico	Merchant, Wm._	5.00	5.00	
Jay	Perry, Phil_	220.35	220.35	
Mexico	Sundry _	8.75	8.75	
Lincoln	Reardon, C. (Mrs.)	44.20		44.20
Mexico	Richard, M'g'ret A.	6.00	2.00	4.00
Moose River	Roderick, Leo_	4.75	4.75	
Gilead	Rowe, John A._	118.93		118.93
Lewiston	Roy, Joseph H._	182.04	*182.04	
Lewiston	St. Cyr, Fred_	64.25		64.25

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Jay	White, William---	32.10		32.10
Mercer	Williamson, F. P.--	276.93	75.56	201.37
		\$2,697.68	\$1,809.24	\$888.44

*Transferred to Town Poor

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TOWN POOR

	<i>Credits</i>	<i>Town Physician</i>	<i>Sundry Poor</i>	<i>Town Poor</i>	<i>Totals</i>
January (Appropriation)	\$4,000.00	\$ 69.22	\$ 383.50	\$ 2,276.88	\$ 2,729.60
	57.96				
February (Appropriation)	41,000.00	69.22	1,459.30	7,032.85	8,561.37
	59.30				
March	70.00	69.22	817.83	5,313.32	6,200.37
April	29.00	103.83	790.04	6,419.56	7,313.43
May	155.41	69.22	219.00	2,051.80	2,340.02
June	118.70	69.22	774.43	5,268.11	6,111.76
July	169.00	69.22	217.81	3,840.81	4,127.84
August	40.00	69.22	380.90	4,758.18	5,208.30
September	37.00	103.83	288.34	3,973.76	4,365.93
October	160.21	69.22	397.13	4,184.98	4,651.33
November	121.34	69.22	225.05	2,560.74	2,855.01
December	80.38	69.22	614.24	6,376.30	7,059.76
Accounts Payable			941.08	7,498.96	8,440.04
Totals	\$46,098.30	\$899.86	\$7,508.65	\$69,964.76	\$69,964.76
Overdraft	23,866.46				
Equal Total Expenditures	\$60,964.76				

TOWN POOR

Town General-----	\$ 210.96	Beaudette, Jesse Jr.	180.79
Dependent Children--	139.00	Beaulieux, Theodore	122.69
Agostinelli, Antonio	40.50	Bechard, Paul-----	44.25
Sundry -----	376.09	Belle, Murray-----	247.60
Allen, Frederick----	96.00	Belskis, Frank-----	297.29
Ames, Marshall-----	134.50	Bennett, Arthur-----	113.04
Anctil,, Daniel-----	38.15	Bennett, Chas. (chil-	
Anctil, Lorenzo-----	181.26	dren) -----	40.06
Anderson, Ruth-----	64.29	Bernard, George-----	255.70
Anderson, Thomas ..	185.06	Bernard, Phil-----	47.24
Anderson, William.	247.98	Bernard, Thomas-----	37.48
Ankus, Andrew-----	8.70	Berrouard, Jerry-----	323.40
Arsenault, Adolph*.	10.80	Dependent Children	582.50
Arsenault, Agape----	133.44	Bissonette, Celina--	374.68
Arsenault, Alex-----	6.00	Blair, Joseph F.-----	160.75
Arsenault, Anatole	366.56	Blaisdell, Lottie-----	73.79
Arsenault, Arthur J.	112.68	Blaisdell, Paul-----	160.12
Arsenault, Camille--	27.00	Blanchard, Louisa---	17.50
Mother's Aid-----	5.50	Blier, Emile-----	367.15
Arsenault, Emile----	72.96	Blouin, Michael-----	143.43
Arsenault, Hubert---	79.47	Blouin, Henry-----	32.43
Arsenault, Ida-----	139.51	Boissoneault, George	21.00
Arsenault, John J.--	115.29	Bouchard, Charles..	364.00
Arsenault, John P.--	12.75	Boucher, Doria-----	17.95
Arsenault, Joseph---	243.72	Boucher, Felix-----	131.35
Arsenault, Ledger---	192.44	Bokosky, Joseph-----	118.78
Arsenault, Mark-----	16.31	Boyle, William-----	569.38
Arsenault, Theodore	3.60	Breau, Albani H.-----	319.39
Arsenault, Thomas		Breau, Henry-----	212.30
(children) -----	1,097.47	Broomhall, Arthur	
Auger, Anna-----	11.00	H. -----	318.82
Austin, Amos M.---	256.88	Brown, Reed-----	26.60
Austin, Robert-----	100.43	Buotte, Peter-----	1,111.38
Babineau, Lena-----	103.05	Burt, Charles-----	372.33
Babineau, Neri-----	129.39	Capone, Felix-----	426.74
Bailey, Phil-----	73.48	Carboneau, John-----	65.05
Baker, Joseph-----	23.35	Carrier, Leo-----	521.42
Baker, Leslie-----	46.20	Carrier, Leon-----	776.13
Beauchesne, Hector.	1,381.89	Caruso, James-----	18.45
Beaudette, Alex-----	71.03	Cayer, Frank-----	193.53
Beaudette, Daniel---	43.88	Cayer, Napoleon-----	115.50
Beaudette, Jesse---	294.80	Charest, William---	14.50

Charity, Reuben---	117.85	Duguay, John P.---	8.95
Chenard, Aristide---	10.73	Duguay, Milton---	30.00
Chenard, Lionell---	4.20	Duguay, Wilfred---	29.57
Chiasson, Michael---	90.20	Dumas, Alex-----	119.24
Chicorelli, Tony---	13.50	Dumas, Joseph-----	3.50
Christunis, Frank..	166.81	Dupille, Edward----	353.28
Clark, Frank-----	158.73	Dupille, Henry-----	335.97
Cloutier, Alex-----	541.00	Sundry -----	119.39
Cloutier, Emile-----	17.75	Dunback, Walter---	32.81
Cloutier, Emile J.--	103.72	Durland, Raymond..	424.57
Cloutier, Louis-----	262.20	Dependent Children.	127.10
Coombs, Florence---	172.61	Enman, Franklin---	16.00
Cotton, Charles-----	474.33	Falardeau, Andy---	76.10
Cormier, Bruno-----	86.50	Farrar, Frank-----	68.00
Cormier, Thomas---	285.51	Farren, Lloyd-----	4.50
Cote, Corrine-----	15.03	Farrer, Albert-----	8.25
Couture, Michael---	6.74	Favre, Maurice-----	36.04
Crawford, Clarence	13.50	Fisher, Forest-----	298.08
Curato, Joseph-----	31.50	Foley, Tom-----	165.89
Curtis, Leslie-----	4.41	Fournier, Amedee L.	6.67
Cyr, Louis-----	128.55	Frechette, John---	372.26
Cyr, Napoleon-----	224.68	Gallant, Adeline---	69.89
Dame, Norman-----	3.60	Gallant, Andrew---	20.93
Dechane, Theodore.	71.03	Gallant, Aubin-----	9.00
Degrace, Andre-----	177.34	Gallant, James-----	412.19
Degregoria, Camello	16.50	Gallant, Joseph-----	144.79
Delano, Charles-----	388.26	Sundry -----	63.05
Delano, Roosevelt---	86.20	Gallant, Mary Ann..	5.50
Sundry -----	2.29	Gallant, Mederic-----	483.00
DeSalle, Frank-----	686.40	Gallant, Olive-----	200.74
DeSalle, Sandy		Gallant, Pierre A.--	208.99
(children) -----	76.54	Gallant, Sylvan-----	9.00
Diannis, Joseph-----	34.35	Gamache, August---	9.75
DiConzo, Anthony---	170.56	Garneau, Roger-----	689.68
Dooley, Patrick-----	148.61	Garrant, Doria-----	3.50
Doucette, Frank-----	314.36	Gastonguay, Wilma	201.52
Doucette, Louise---	33.00	Gillis, Nicolas-----	74.34
Dougherty, John---	249.34	Giroux, Edward---	404.85
Dougherty, Raymond		Glover, Alvin-----	9.00
-----	112.57	Glover, Frank-----	4.50
Dowse, Mary-----	416.00	Goguen, Edmond---	194.30
Drapeau, Napoleon---	291.22	Goguen, Fred-----	121.46
Draper, Clinton-----	11.00	Goodwin, John A.--	150.00
Duguay, James-----	151.73	Goselin, Omer-----	5.00

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Gotto, Catherine.---	418.14	Leclair, Arsene.---	13.09
Guilmet, George.---	139.93	Sundry -----	15.50
Hachey, Alphonse.---	114.86	Lecours, Albert.---	57.40
Haggerty, George.---	28.48	Legare, Albert.---	14.63
Haines, Frank.---	34.00	Legere, Richard.---	95.96
Hamill, James.---	4.80	Leighton, Barney.---	2.25
Dependent Children.	525.00	Lemieux, Loretta.---	197.50
Hatfield, Herbert.---	4.20	Levasseur, John.---	56.72
Hebert, Edgar.---	11.80	Levasseur, Joseph.---	48.12
Henry, Arthur.---	23.35	Loisell, Ernest.---	356.64
Henry, Etienne.---	70.54	Loisell, Leo.---	14.50
Henry, Hugh.---	74.54	Louvat, Rene.---	35.00
Henry, James.---	22.25	Lowman, George.---	224.40
Hotham, Gilbert.---	118.40	Lowell, Lawrence.---	49.84
Hotham, Vean.---	37.04	Sundry -----	11.00
Howard, Charles J.---	42.90	Dependent Children	364.67
Hoyt, Wayland.---	124.27	Maillett, William.---	26.97
Hughes, James		Maria, Elias.---	123.12
(Children) -----	52.88	Marino, Luciano.---	467.45
Jacob, Charles.---	121.14	Marquis, Joseph.---	338.97
Jannace, Tony.---	152.72	Dependent Children.	569.27
Juskevich, William.---	43.75	Martin, Jesmyn.---	194.39
Kaires, Frank.---	62.70	Martin, Louis.---	41.60
Kaires, Joseph.---	227.54	Martineau, Joseph.---	90.73
Kanapinski, Frank.---	423.23	Mason, Ansel.---	163.73
Keenan, Thomas.---	312.65	McCarthy, James.---	227.80
Kenyon, Mattie W.---	233.08	McFee, Ray.---	53.31
Kerr, Harrie.---	24.60	McHale, Leo.---	32.30
Kerr, Nellie.---	503.82	McKenna, James D.---	751.89
Labelle, Joseph.---	43.68	McMennamin, James	258.90
Lafleur, Louis.---	67.20	Sundry -----	6.60
Lambert, Thelma.---	27.26	McMillan, Dan.---	52.00
Landry, Bernard.---	161.82	McMillan, Marshall.---	40.00
Landry, Dorsey.---	50.89	Meile, Patsy.---	.73
Langlais, Joseph.---	50.22	Mercier, Clodimir.---	45.00
Sundry -----	12.38	Merritt, Oliver.---	158.64
Lantagne, Alphonse.	403.09	Metevier, John.---	12.00
Lapham, Anthony L.	17.79	Moore, Clifford.---	2.78
Lapierre, Joseph.---	278.91	Morrell, Peter.---	125.44
Laplante, Henry.---	95.36	Morrell, Sarah.---	12.60
Lapointe, Ernest.---	159.76	Munier, Joseph.---	135.95
Larouche, Frank.---	247.09	Munier, Moses.---	266.15
Larrivee, William.---	244.59	Naviskas, Charlse.---	44.25
Lavorgna, James.---	143.72	Nelson, Clifford.---	13.63

Newton, Stephen---	189.92	Rousseau, Joseph--	45.85
Nolan, George-----	9.55	Roy, Calix-----	196.71
Pachè, Victor-----	149.77	Roy, Frank-----	113.95
Packard, Charles-----	104.01	Roy, Harold-----	202.42
Paquette, Clarence--	602.91	Roy, H. Albert-----	385.26
Paradis, Charles-----	377.47	Roy, Joseph H.-----	312.70
Parisi, Antonio-----	202.63	Roy, Peter A. Jr.---	122.34
Parmenter, Alfred---	303.97	Ruff, William-----	107.30
Patenaude, Arthur---	275.35	Runahan, Clarence.	91.69
Patenaude, Charles---	6.45	Seymour, Donald---	175.91
Patrie, Alphonse---	113.61	Shea, Edward-----	5.55
Patrie, Arthur-----	64.72	Shea, Joseph-----	78.00
Sundry -----	4.50	Shippen, Mike-----	3.00
Paulin, Harvey-----	4.50	Sicotte, Albert-----	5.20
Pelletier, Adelard---	101.83	Smith, Clinton-----	298.42
Perry, Anthony-----	141.60	Smith, Frank-----	242.13
Perry Fidele-----	110.81	Souble, Henry-----	68.15
Perry, George-----	250.82	Spidell, Theodore---	27.84
Perry, Joseph P.---	69.00	Stalmuke, Alex-----	51.50
Perry, Paul-----	40.89	Stapnos, Charles---	177.00
Perry Peter J.-----	40.09	St. Cyr, Alfred-----	243.71
Perry, Peter P.-----	6.83	St. Cyr, Alfred Jr.--	1,117.38
Peters, John-----	202.83	Stewart, Daniel-----	113.70
Peters, John-----	15.00	St. Pierre, Martial---	234.59
Peters, Therese-----	263.45	Sundry -----	22.00
Phillips, Hugh-----	19.15	Sutton, Fred-----	296.82
Plante, Albert Jr.---	33.55	Sylvester, Aubrey---	19.20
Plourde, Albert---	8.85	Tamborino, Mary---	47.05
Plourde, Edmond---	2.00	Taylor, Mrs. Bertha	668.49
Poirier, Emile-----	388.12	Thebeau, Sylvester---	456.95
Poirier, Joseph-----	147.79	Theberge, Clement---	170.65
Prevost, Gideon-----	40.79	Therriault, Alfred---	38.60
Prevost, Odilon-----	665.16	Therriault, Dost---	11.25
Prevost, Paul-----	197.51	Therriault, Edward	
Reil, Carl-----	156.00	J. -----	569.98
Richard, Ben-----	90.14	Therriault, Mathias---	87.77
Richard, Levi-----	662.66	Thurston, Arthur---	20.50
Richard, Louis-----	329.30	Tibbetts, Fred-----	1,075.10
Roach, Fidele-----	25.00	Trenoweth, John J.	125.36
Roach, Nicolas-----	180.52	Trepanier, Ernest---	68.07
Rocykowski, Joseph.	208.13	Tripp, Minard-----	5.41
Ross, Fred-----	26.50	Tripp, Percy-----	536.56
Ross, Richard-----	170.76	Turbide, Gus-----	19.38
Rouleau, Emile-----	5.50	Tweedie, John-----	31.50

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Umbro, Tony-----	100.36	White, Andy-----	213.01
Vallee, Lionel-----	8.50	White, Charles A.--	257.56
Volkernick, Adolph--	263.61	White, Joseph-----	9.00
Waisalauskis, Anton	56.17	White, William----	70.63
Waite, Albertine---	28.77	Willard, Alice-----	643.92
Warren, Donald----	8.10	Williamson, Fred--	276.93
Watson, Fred-----	371.59	Woods, Charles A..	10.50
Welch, John-----	267.95	Wyman, Dorrington	36.78
Welch, William-----	21.37	Zanoni, Esther-----	127.50
Wells, Cony S.-----	42.29	Dependent Children	2,431.15
Wentworth, William	26.20		
Wentzel, Morley---	81.73		
			\$61,556.25

* State Poor

CREDITS

W. P. A. MATERIALS
EXPENDITURES

		Materials	Sewing	Isthmus & Hall Hill	Smith's Cross- ing	Wood	Storm Sewers	Lincoln Avenue	Cook- ing	Maine Avenue St.	Knox St.	Morse Bridge	Ridlon- ville Bridge	Totals
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
On Hand Jan. 1st ..	300.00	193.77	22.36	11.50	4.50	128.67	193.98	36.50						970.13
January (Appro.) ...	4,700.00	514.38	41.71	25.49	13.62									232.13
February (Appro.) ..	1.67													951.35
March	10.02	555.07	4.32	26.00		4.12	431.61		2.00	224.55		328.01		1,023.12
April	3.34	2,025.17	33.26	3.40		5.20	152.75		12.00	256.53		123.43		2,784.31
May	6.68	1,230.28												1,882.58
(Appropriation) ..	8,000.00													
June	6.68	632.50	23.95		10.00		4.35		13.02		262.16	639.19	472.29	2,057.46
July	3.34	236.72	50.16	408.23				196.90		21.36	404.73	331.07	29.72	1,678.89
August		378.44	37.34	519.18				4.84		12.84		1,003.56	42.35	1,998.55
September	17.20	159.05	9.39	100.51				.45				3,110.08	216.80	3,596.28
October		405.78	14.78	6.89			53.90	1.35				1,989.63	7.91	2,480.21
November	123.40	124.12	5.87						100.00			60.98	6.67	197.64
December (Appro.) ..	227.19	20.42	204.86									1,128.12	15.04	1,468.41
Accounts Payable ..	10,000.00	2,282.97	30.93									2,242.09	1.25	4,537.21
Totals	\$23,399.52	\$8,738.67	\$478.93	\$1,101.20	\$28.12	\$137.99	\$836.59	\$240.04	\$127.02	\$515.28	\$666.89	\$10,956.16	\$1,061.37	\$25,881.56
Accounts Receivable	156.60													

Overdraft

Equal Total

Expenditures

\$23,556.12

2,325.44

\$25,881.56

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FLOOD EXPENSES

CREDITS		EXPENDITURES							Totals
		Road Washouts	Guard Duty	National Clothing	Guard	Food	Health	Materials	
March	\$ 1.35	\$1,882.29	\$ 84.84	236.10	\$ 194.57	\$ 428.53	\$ 103.28	\$ 1,607.30	\$1,882.29
April	635.16	3123.69							5,778.31
May	47.40	32.84						51.74	84.58
(Appropriation)	7,100.00								
June	9.82	45.79				1.20	94.20	57.79	198.98
July		1.50				3.00			4.50
August	91.80					2.49	16.04		18.53
September								4.99	4.99
October								18.50	18.50
November	2.31								
December		868.87						3.50	872.37
Totals	\$7,887.84	\$5,954.98	\$84.84	\$236.10	\$194.57	\$435.22	\$213.52	\$1,743.82	\$8,863.05
Overdraft	975.21								
Equal Total Expenditures	\$8,863.05								

INTEREST

CREDITS

EXPENDITURES

	Int. on Temp. Loans	Int. on Bridge Bonds	Int. on Current Expense Bonds	Int. on Refund- ing Bonds	Int. on Serial Notes	Int. on Equip- ment Bond	Int. on Municipal Bonds	Int. on Fund- ing Bonds	Discount \$15,100. Flood Note	Int. on Trust Fund	Totals
January (Appropriation)	\$ 1,000.00	\$ 134.18	\$ 531.25	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$ 665.43
February (Appropriation)	40.11										2,025.00
March	15,200.00	2,025.00									2,186.50
April	31.28										568.75
May	697.17										3,634.78
June			1,125.00	1,012.50	100.00	150.00	540.00	2,750.00	197.98	20.10	551.35
July		318.75									620.00
August		531.25									2,160.90
September	600.60	262.50	Morse	357.50							468.75
October	1.00		1,125.00	1,012.50		150.00					60.00
November	14.18	318.75					540.00	2,612.50		175.80	3,377.62
December	324.95									92.50	92.50
Accounts Payable		49.32 WPA									
Totals	\$17,909.29	\$2,208.50	\$1,962.50	\$2,250.00	\$2,382.50	\$100.00	\$300.00	\$1,080.00	\$197.98	\$567.60	\$16,411.58
							Unexpended Balance				1,497.71
							Equal Total	Credits			\$17,909.29

PAYMENT OF SERIAL NOTES AND BONDS

	CREDITS		EXPENDITURES				Totals
	Serial Note	Funding Bond	Bridge Bond	Refund- ing and Imp. Bond	Equip- ment Bond	Municipal Bonds	
February (Appropriation) ..	\$ 2,000.00						\$
March Refunding Bonds	22,000.00						
April	4,000.00						4,000.00
June		5,000.00					5,000.00
July			2,000.00				2,000.00
September				5,000.00			5,000.00
October			3,000.00		2,000.00		5,000.00
December						3,000.00	3,000.00
Totals	\$24,000.00	\$4,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$24,000.00

PAYMENT OF TEMPORARY LOANS

	Credits	Expenditures
January		\$
February	\$ 51,000.00	51,000.00
October	200,000.00	200,000.00
Totals	\$251,000.00	\$251,000.00

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DISPOSITION OF MATURED BONDS, NOTES AND COUPONS

TOWN OF RUMFORD

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON

Bonds No. 48 49 50 51 52	Due July 1, 1935
Bonds No. 53 54 55 56 57	Due July 1, 1936
Coupons No. 1 to 28 inclusive on Bonds No. 48	
" " " " " " " "	49
" " " " " " " "	50
" " " " " " " "	51
" " " " " " " "	52
" " " " 30 " " " "	53
" " " " " " " "	54
" " " " " " " "	55
" " " " " " " "	56
" " " " " " " "	57

RUMFORD FALLS TRUST CO.

Bonds No. 1 and No. 2, Due November 1, 1936
 Coupons No. 1 due May 1, 1936 on Bonds No. 1 to 10 inclusive
 Coupons No. 2 due Nov. 1, 1936 on Bonds No. 1 to 10 inclusive
 Bonds No. 46, 47, 48, Due January 1, 1936
 Bonds No. 49, 50, 51, Due January 1, 1937
 Coupons No. 39 due July 1, 1935 on Bonds No. 46 to 75 inclusive
 Coupons No. 40 due Jan. 1, 1936 on Bonds No. 46 to 75 inclusive
 Notes No. M13 M14 M15 Due October 15, 1935
 Notes No. M16 M17 M18 Due October 15, 1936
 Coupons No. 13 due April 15, 1935 on Notes M13 to No. M30 inclusive
 Coupons No. 14 due Oct. 15, 1935 on Notes M13 to No. M30 inclusive
 Coupons No. 15 due April 15, 1936 on Notes M16 to No. M30 inclusive
 Coupons No. 16 due Oct. 15, 1936 on Notes M16 to No. M30 inclusive
 Notes No. M-11 and M-12 due July 15, 1935
 Notes No. M-13 and M-14 due July 15, 1936

Coupon No. 11 due January 15, 1935 on Notes No. M-11 to M-37 inclusive

Coupon No. 12 due July 15, 1935 on Notes No. M-11 to M-37 inclusive

Coupon No. 13 due January 15, 1936 on Notes No. M-13 to M-37 inclusive

Coupons No. 14 due July 15, 1936 on Notes No. M-13 to M-37 inclusive

RUMFORD NATIONAL BANK

Note No. 412 (Not Coupon) due April 20, 1935

"	"	413	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	414	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	415	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	416	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	417	"	"	"	"	"	1936
"	"	418	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	419	"	"	"	"	"	"
"	"	420	"	"	"	"	"	"

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE

Bonds No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Due October 1, 1935

Bonds No. 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, Due October 1, 1936

Coupons No. 2 due April 1, 1935 on Bonds No. 1 to 50 inclusive

Coupons No. 3 due Oct. 1, 1935 on Bonds No. 1 to 50 inclusive

Coupons No. 4 due April 1, 1936 on Bonds No. 6 to 50 inclusive

Coupons No. 5 due Oct. 1, 1936 on Bonds No. 6 to 50 inclusive

NATIONAL SHAWMUT BANK OF BOSTON

Coupons No. 5 due April 1, 1935 on Bonds No. 1 to 50 inclusive

Coupons No. 6 due Oct. 1, 1935 on Bonds No. 1 to 50 inclusive

Coupons No. 7 due April 1, 1936 on Bonds No. 1 to 50 inclusive

Coupons No. 8 due Oct. 1, 1936 on Bonds No. 1 to 50 inclusive

Coupons No. 1 due September 1, 1936 on Bonds No. 1 to 22 inclusive

Coupons No. 1 due September 1, 1936 on Bonds No. 1 to 18 inclusive

This certifies that we, the undersigned, have made a careful examination of the above bonds, notes, and coupons issued by the Town of Rumford, which have been paid and cancelled. All the above mentioned bonds, notes and coupons were destroyed in our presence, by burning, this 13th day of January A. D. 1937.

AMY B. LYON,

Treasurer of the

Town of Rumford

GEORGE H. CLUNIE,

Auditor of the

Town of Rumford

LEWIS M. IRISH,

Treasurer of the

Rumford Falls Trust Co.

FRANK M. TAYLOR

HECTOR A. RODERICK

JOHN A. RUBINO

CLARENCE ABBOTT

LESLIE A. WHITE

Selectmen of the
Town of Rumford

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OFFICE SUPPLIES AND OFFICERS' EXPENSES

	CREDITS		EXPENDITURES					Totals
			Tele- phone	Health Depart- ment	Office Sup- plies	Of- ficers Ex- penses	Paid out for Sta- tistics Car	
January	\$.65	\$ 42.69	\$ 6.60	\$ 45.71	\$ 44.00	\$ 13.50	\$	\$ 152.50
February	.65	37.04	84.66	96.75	25.25		27.66	271.36
March	2,500.00		109.09	66.26	64.25		17.24	256.84
April	.05	75.63	14.90	307.40	72.90		39.33	510.16
May	2.45	19.01		142.54	101.90		12.74	276.19
June	.05	45.69	90.17	102.65	51.45		60.42	350.38
July	.50	68.67	4.35	4.99	34.84		1.75	114.60
August		16.45	28.62	175.58	40.75		37.94	300.54
September	.15	42.31	86.22	272.72	56.25		10.22	476.97
October		44.74	57.55	98.41	33.65		7.84	246.64
November	3.06	30.23	4.10	14.00	54.75		20.87	123.95
December				83.92	16.25		34.80	201.63
Accounts Payable		69.09	44.48	111.67			45.95	278.69
Totals	\$2,507.81	\$491.55	\$513.66	\$1,454.93	\$634.15	\$13.50	\$35.90	\$3,560.45
Accounts Receivable	7.80							
Overdraft	\$2,515.61							
Equal Total Expenditures	1,044.84							
	\$3,560.45							

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OPERATION & MAINTENANCE OF MUNICIPAL BUILDING

	EXPENDITURES					Assistant Janitor		Totals
	CREDITS	Lights	Water	Fuel	Supplies	Repairs	\$	
January	\$	\$ 87.29	\$	\$ 61.69	\$	\$	\$	\$ 148.98
February (Appropriation)	5,500.00	91.79	33.59	30.00	22.98	40.07		218.43
March	1.00	70.34		52.50	31.81	51.29		205.94
April		101.57	41.22	303.00	39.56	2.31	13.50	501.16
May		66.62					9.00	75.62
June		59.99			124.04	5.70		189.73
July		60.40		108.94	.50			169.84
August		48.84	47.90		51.56	.75		149.05
September		61.62			18.18			79.80
October		68.06	37.31	69.69	8.04	.30		183.40
November	4.50	74.17		178.44	12.53			265.14
December			14.10	1,036.55	65.23	7.60		1,123.48
Accounts Payable	670.46	83.58	38.87	39.16	527.69	1.75		691.05
Totals	\$6,175.96	\$74.27	\$212.99	\$1,879.97	\$*02.12	\$*09.77	\$22.50	\$4,001.62
				Unexpended Balance				2,174.34
				Equal Total Credits				\$6,175.96

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EXCISE TAX ACCOUNT

Debits

Am't credited to 1936 Tax Commitment_ \$ 8,447.68

Am't carried forward to 1937 Account_ 2,975.33

\$11,423.01

Credits

Carried forward from 1935 account_ \$ 2,207.47

Received from Collections in 1936_ 9,215.54

\$11,423.01

OLD TAX ACCOUNTS

Debits

Uncollected 1932 Taxes, Jan. 1, 1936_ \$ 729.34

" 1933 " " " " _ 2,660.41

" 1934 " " " " _ 3,024.87

" 1935 " " " " _ 30,077.65'

\$36,492.27

Credits

Rec'd from William F. Cyr, Coll.

Collections in 1936:

1932 Taxes_ \$ 729.34

1933 Taxes_ 2,455.24

1934 Taxes_ 1,470.22

1935 Taxes_ 27,458.13

\$32,112.93

Taxes Uncollected, Jan. 1, 1937_ 4,379.34

\$36,492.27

NINETEEN HUNDRED THIRTY-SIX TAX ACCOUNT

Debits

To Tax Commitment for 1936_ \$369,088.80

Credits

Rec'd from Wm. F. Cyr,

Collections_ \$342,809.07

Abatements_ 607.86

343,416.93

Uncollected 1936 Taxes, Jan 1 1937_ *\$25,671.87

*Note:

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DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS

Adams, George-----\$	3.00	Blaisdell, Connie-----	5.63
Adams, Pat-----	4.31	Bernard, Vitaline-----	26.25
Ahearn, Fred-----	4.31	Breau, Henry-----	5.63
Anctil, Evon, Lorenzo,		Bouchard, David-----	78.75
Leonce, Emil-----	47.10	Breau, Edward-----	4.31
Albert, Cora Mrs.-----	43.83	Blanchard, Alec-----	4.31
Allain, Ernest-----	4.31	Bennette, Lila M.-----	35.96
Alyward, Peter-----	14.81	Brown, C. H.-----	7.88
Anctil, Daniel-----	3.00	Berennick, John Jr.---	4.31
Anderson, Carl-----	6.15	Batherson, William---	4.84
Arsenault, John-----	3.00	Blais, Joseph-----	4.31
Arsenault, Carl-----	3.00	Bannes, James-----	55.50
Arsenault, Aurel-----	3.00	Belanger, Napoleon---	4.31
Arsenault, Joe Emil---	3.00	Bernard, Donat-----	4.31
A. A. D. Immuble Inc	258.30	Billings, J. S.-----	4.05
Arsenault, Larry-----	1.31	Bailey, Hugh-----	4.31
Arsenault, Joseph A.---	3.00	Bernard, Thomas-----	4.31
Arsenault, John G.---	3.00	Boudreau, Alphonse---	4.31
Arsenault, Donat-----	3.00	Bennette, Edward-----	4.31
Arsenault, Leger-----	3.00	Bennette, J. W.-----	3.00
Arsenault, Cyrus-----	4.31	Bolduc, Gordon-----	4.31
Arsenault, Archie-----	3.00	Bissonette, Theodore..	3.00
Arsenault, Henry-----	3.00	Briton, Theodore-----	4.31
Arsenault, Gregory---	3.00	Bourgeois, Girard-----	4.31
Arsenault, Andrew-----	5.63	Bourgeois, Aimedee---	3.00
Burgess, Harriet Est.	30.45	Bourgeois, Emile-----	3.00
Bushley, Margaret---	89.25	Bourgeois, Emile-----	3.00
Bernier, Fred-----	318.53	Bouley, George-----	3.00
Blake, John M.-----	25.75	Bowden, Malcolm-----	4.31
Bellows, Warren C.---	25.02	Bradeau, John-----	3.00
Baker, Joseph-----	11.40	Brooks, Harry V.-----	3.00
Blouin, Josephine, Na-		Brown, Marshall-----	3.00
poleon -----	368.03	Brown, Freedmont---	3.00
Bailey, Arthur-----	3.00	Bulger, Patrick-----	3.00
Baker, Wilfred-----	3.00	Bulger, James E.-----	3.00
Bevilacqua, Nickola---	43.42	Burditt, Paul-----	3.00
Breau, Albani-----	34.60	Bulger, Pius-----	3.00
Belskis, Bronis-----	53.13	Bulger, Roy-----	3.00
Baker, Leslie-----	58.62	Byrne, Robert-----	3.00
Briden, D. E.-----	16.13	Carver, Harry L.-----	108.53
Bernard, Alphonse---	8.25	Crawford, James A.---	2.63
Benette & Hanson---	94.50	Calahan, Harry-----	3.00
Blais, Peter-----	94.50	Campbell, Kenneth---	3.00

Clark, Harry W.-----	5.63	DeSalli, Antonio-----	30.56
Cyr, Louis E.-----	25.31	Dimascio, Loretto----	11.88
Chabot, Heirs of		Durland, Scott-----	1.31
Hermie -----	105.53	DeSalle, Ralph-----	8.25
Curato, Joseph-----	19.54	Dennis, Weston R.-----	13.50
Casey, Harry W.-----	8.78	McDonelly, Lucy-----	110.25
Chabot, Wilfred-----	30.56	Dorion, Joshua-----	4.31
Carlisle, Allen J.-----	22.43	Doucette, J.-----	4.31
Cormier, Joseph A.-----	4.31	Deroy, Edmond-----	4.31
Chenard, Aristide-----	4.31	Desroache, Joseph L.---	3.00
Chisholm, Malcolm---	4.31	Dillingham, John-----	4.05
Casey, Donald-----	4.31	Dion, Joseph-----	3.00
Casey, Rosmond-----	4.31	Dorion, Emile-----	3.00
Chouinard, Wilfred---	21.38	Doucette, Frank-----	3.00
Chappelo, Girard-----	4.31	Doucette, Frank-----	3.00
Clark, Fred-----	4.31	Dorothy, Dan-----	3.00
Cyr, Leo-----	4.31	Dorothy, Raymond---	3.00
Colorassa, Carmella---	47.78	Draper, Clinton I.---	3.00
Casey, James-----	3.00	Ducas, Joseph-----	3.00
Casey, Frank-----	3.00	Duguay, James-----	3.00
Chasson, Arthur-----	3.00	Duguay, Robert-----	3.00
Champane, Charles---	2.00	Dubord, Charley-----	8.25
Chase, George-----	3.00	Dinsmore, Wallace---	3.00
Chidoni, Antonio-----	3.00	Ellrich, Earl-----	4.31
Clark, Fred J.-----	3.00	Ellingwood, E. R.-----	4.31
Clark, Gregory-----	3.00	Ellis, A. J.-----	4.31
Clement, Clarence---	3.00	Farnum, Charles G.	
Cloutier, Alec, Emile	3.00	& Philias W.-----	38.18
Comeau, Louis-----	3.00	Farnum, William-----	4.31
Conrad, Lawrence---	3.00	Fraser, Edward-----	26.25
Coombs, Thomas-----	3.00	Freemond, Walter O.---	53.14
Commier, Arthur J.---	3.00	Fitzmorris, Mike-----	5.63
Comier, Madee-----	3.00	French, R. S.-----	4.31
Coulombe, Romeo-----	3.00	Fredderick, H. V.-----	4.31
Curtis, Gerald A.-----	3.00	Forbes, Ethel-----	3.94
Cusack, Walter-----	4.31	French, Leo W.-----	4.31
Daycey, Timothy-----	3.00	Fitzmoris, Joseph-----	4.31
Davis, Howard F.-----	72.54	Falardeau, Louis-----	4.31
Dorion, Mike-----	5.63	Fletcher, Arthur-----	1.31
Day, Clarence-----	4.31	Farnum, Earlon S.---	3.00
DiConzo, Rocco-----	43.69	Ferland, Alphonse---	3.00
DiFillippo, Germaino---	24.00	Fitzgerald, Frank-----	3.00
Delano, Julian F.-----	18.75	Fitzmoris, L. B.-----	3.00
Delano, Heirs of P. K.	18.93	Floyd, Arthur-----	3.00

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Fortin, Paul-----	3.00	Hargroves, Oscar-----	3.00
Fortez, Paul-----	3.00	Hay, John-----	3.00
Fournier, Ovilla-----	3.00	Hayes, Robert-----	3.00
Freve, John-----	3.00	Hebert, Armand-----	3.00
Glover, John E.-----	13.50	Hebert, Arcade-----	3.00
Goodwin, Charles F.---	38.44	Holst, C.-----	3.00
Gamache, August---	99.75	Hughes, John-----	3.00
Gacetta, Dominic-----	49.62	Huckines, Samuel---	3.00
Grausis, John-----	23.48	Hunter, Joseph-----	3.00
Gacetta, Rocco-----	43.95	Israelson, Julian-----	3.00
Grilcris, Albert-----	50.52	Jeglinski, James-----	58.13
Gaines, Robert-----	3.00	Jannace, Bertha-----	29.25
Gallant, John P.-----	4.31	Jacques, Edward-----	4.31
Gallant, Sylvian-----	4.31	Jordan, Leroy W.-----	4.31
Gallant, Cyrus L.-----	4.31	Jones, Beatrice-----	1.31
Gallant, Edwin J.---	4.31	Jolin, Emile-----	4.31
Gallant, Leonard-----	3.00	Jecture, Joseph-----	3.00
Gallant, Antonin---	4.31	Johnstone, Edward---	3.00
Gilks, Edward-----	4.31	Katilus, Stanley-----	3.00
Gallant, Arthur-----	4.31	Katilus, Victor-----	3.00
Glover, Fred E.-----	5.63	Kelly, W. S.-----	3.00
Gilbert, Joseph-----	3.00	Kemeraitis, Peter-----	31.88
Gillis, John-----	3.00	Koris, Anton E.-----	213.51
Giroux, Henry-----	3.00	Koris, John-----	7.51
Glover, Frank-----	3.00	Knauer, Frank-----	8.25
Goodwin, Joseph-----	3.00	Kelley, James E.-----	4.31
Goodwin, John-----	3.00	Kemeraitis, Anna-----	5.25
Goodwin, Dennis-----	3.00	Kuhe, David-----	5.63
Guais, Mark-----	3.00	Kuekus, Constance---	160.13
Haines, Wallace E.---	47.63	Kellely, Leo-----	4.31
Henry, Heirs of J. E.---	460.64	Kelley, Eddie T.-----	8.25
Howard, Sherwood---	7.47	Kinney, James W.---	4.31
Haines, Clarence-----	54.72	Kinney, George-----	3.00
Hillman, Guy-----	4.31	Killies, Barley-----	3.00
Holt, Carol W.-----	4.31	Kimball, William J.---	3.00
Holland, Stanley-----	4.84	Kilbreth, W. H.-----	3.00
Hall, John-----	4.31	Kinney, William T.---	3.00
Haines, Earl-----	4.31	Kneuer, William-----	3.00
Herbert, Jacob-----	5.63	Kriskos, Joseph-----	3.00
Holt, E. A.-----	30.45	Kuekus, Peter-----	3.00
Hill, Osborne-----	4.31	Lord, Francis J.-----	62.74
Halacy, Dan-----	3.00	Leighton, Frank-----	39.75
Hamel, Wilfred-----	4.31	Lobikis, John-----	665.55

Landery, Timothy-----	4.31	McAuley, John-----	3.00
Lemieux, William-----	4.31	McCullough, Wilfred--	3.00
Labonte, Wilfred-----	5.63	McDonald, Allen-----	3.00
Legere, Albert-----	8.25	McDonald, Joseph-----	3.00
Larue, Emma-----	10.50	McDonald, James C.--	3.00
Labonte, Arbe-----	4.31	McDonald, James D.--	3.00
Lavasseur, Roland-----	4.31	McDonald, John-----	4.31
Lozier, James-----	4.31	McDonald, John-----	3.00
Lavoie, Francis-----	4.31	McConaghy, Alton-----	3.00
Leffler, William-----	4.31	McGrath, Louis-----	3.00
Lebreque, Edward J.-----	4.31	McInnis, Walter R.-----	3.00
Lapointe, John B.-----	3.00	McIsaac, Daniel Allen	3.00
Leader, William J.-----	3.00	McKenna, James A.-----	3.00
Lecours, George-----	3.00	McKenna, Ralph-----	3.00
Leighton, Barney-----	3.00	McKenna, Everett-----	3.00
Levi, Domonic-----	3.00	McPhee, Earl E. E.-----	3.00
Lloyd, James-----	4.31	McPherson, Harry-----	3.00
Lloyd, Norman-----	3.00	Mehigan, Thomas-----	3.00
Lovat, Maurace-----	3.00	Melanson, Jack-----	3.00
Lovat, Rene-----	3.00	Melanson, Omer-----	3.00
Langevin, Aime-----	3.00	Metevier, Joseph A.-----	3.00
Lacroix, George-----	3.00	Mooney, Leonard-----	3.00
Moody, Grace-----	68.25	Morse, Charles N.-----	3.00
Martel, David Jr.-----	58.13	Mark, Murphy-----	3.00
Marino, Luger-----	18.75	Muzroll, Joseph-----	3.00
McDonald, H. T.-----	18.75	Muzroll, Fred-----	3.00
Miele, Heirs of Pas-		Muzroll, Fred J.-----	3.00
quale-----	10.50	Nolan, George-----	25.57
Martin, Fidele-----	6.68	Newal, Charles W.-----	248.18
Milledge, John-----	31.61	Nadeau, George W.-----	4.31
Mitchell, John C.-----	21.90	Nelson, Arthur J.-----	4.31
McFarland, Howard L.-----	5.63	Nelson Furniture Co.-----	52.50
Martineau, Joseph H.-----	4.31	Nelson, Clifford-----	4.31
Murphy, Lester M.-----	18.75	Nadeau, Rosarie-----	3.00
McInnis, John C.-----	4.31	Oppenheim, F. Mrs.-----	31.50
Mahar, John-----	4.31	Oppenheim, Benjamin-----	4.31
McHale, Charles-----	47.10	O'Hearn, John-----	4.31
McPhee, Aubrey-----	4.31	Oclair, Albert-----	1.31
Metevier, Zenon-----	4.31	Oclair, Donald-----	4.31
Mott, Martin-----	4.31	Olson, James-----	3.00
Manzer, Harry-----	4.31	Pettengill, O. A.-----	455.44
Manley, Thomas-----	3.00	Papasadoro, Rosie-----	34.65
Manson, Harvey-----	3.00	Provost, Gideon-----	91.08
Marsolars, Leo-----	3.00	Papasadora, Frank-----	23.63

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Pouliot, Louis-----	46.84	Roudick, Andrew....	4.31
Patenaude, Adeline--	13.76	Russell, Ralph-----	3.00
Poirier, Joseph J.---	116.41	St. Pierre, Charles---	156.86
Perry, George-----	4.31	Scribner, Addie &	
Paterson, E. F.-----	5.63	Bert -----	239.25
Pulia, Antonio-----	42.90	Swan, Archie-----	51.04
Porath, Charley-----	4.31	Stalmuke, Annie-----	114.04
Plavin, Jack-----	4.31	Shorey, Alfred-----	24.26
Purington, Walter F..	4.31	Samson, Adelard-----	29.25
Poulin, George-----	4.31	St. Pierre, Marcel---	4.31
Patrick, Julia-----	47.50	Stone, Earl S.-----	4.31
Palermo, Luigi-----	8.25	Sullivan, Dennis-----	4.31
Pelletier, Conrad---	4.31	Sweatt, Verle F.-----	4.31
Poulin, Robert-----	4.31	Shippen, Mike-----	4.31
Poulin, Joseph-----	4.31	Spinney, B. B.-----	4.31
Paradis, Louis-----	3.00	Sullivan, John-----	4.31
Patenaude, Arthur---	3.00	Sessions, Randell H.--	5.63
Patenaude, George---	3.00	Shippen, Angelina---	5.25
Peabody, Asbon-----	4.31	Small, James-----	4.31
Perry, Joseph-----	3.00	Simon, Annie-----	10.50.
Piawlock, Charles Jr.	3.00	Soule, Charles-----	4.31
Peawlock, Stanley---	3.00	Sciaraffa, Stephen---	3.00
Pineau, Peter-----	3.00	Shopis, Joseph Jr.---	3.00
Plourde, Joseph D. A.	3.00	Smith, Alice-----	3.00
Priest, Herbert-----	3.00	Smith, Eugene-----	3.00
Ross, Camille-----	38.96	Smith, Joseph-----	3.00
Rumford Garage-----	456.23	Sobut, Vincent-----	3.00
Richard, Clarence J..	4.31	Sobut, Peter-----	3.00
Robichaud, Telix-----	4.31	Sodevena, Mattie-----	3.00
Ross, Alfred-----	4.31	Sorrento, Frank-----	3.00
Rivard, Mike-----	4.31	Souble, John-----	3.00
Richard, Albert-----	4.31	Steele, Fred-----	3.00
Rosata, Antonio J.---	8.25	Stewart, Clinton H.--	3.00
Rouleau, Emile-----	4.31	Stymis, Emerson-----	3.00
Ruff, William-----	4.31	Thomson, Heirs of	
Rand, Howard-----	4.31	Susan -----	5.25
Robichaud, Vital-----	4.31	Thibodeau, Heirs of	
Richardson, Alfred---	3.00	J. A.-----	261.04
Ricker, Archie-----	3.00	Tribou, Harold K.---	50.27
Robins, Lawrence-----	3.00	Thornton, Howard P.	
Robichaud, Urban-----	3.00	& Jenny P. Baldwin	99.60
Rowe, William Jr.---	3.00	Thomkus, Frank-----	5.63
Rogers, John-----	3.00	Thorn, Blair-----	4.31
Rotsky, Felix-----	3.00	Thibodeau, Leonard---	4.31

Tidd, John-----	4.31	Whitock, John-----	3.00
Trenoweth, John----	4.31	Wilkinson, Joseph----	3.00
Thibodeau, Gauthier--	3.00	Yonaitis, Frank-----	76.76
Tulley, Charley-----	3.00	Zale, John Jr.-----	3.00
Tweedie, John-----	3.00	Ziko, Anthony-----	3.00
United Furniture Co.--	42.00	Ziko, Walter-----	3.00
Umbro, Tony-----	3.00	Ziko, Frank-----	3.00
Vallancourt, Joseph--	31.10	NON-RESIDENT	
Viger, George-----	35.81	Akers, Ellen G.-----	27.56
Virginia Pharmacy---	26.25	Archino, Edward-----	53.81
Vachon, Alfred-----	4.31	Brageon, Mary-----	35.18
Vashaw, J. Fay-----	4.31	Blanchard, Lucienne--	150.16
Vallee, Wilfred-----	4.31	Blanchard, Theodore--	2.63
Vaccaro, Vito-----	3.00	Crognel, Lorenzo-----	5.51
Vatalaro, Joseph-----	3.00	Chenard, Marie-----	13.13
Valush, Charley-----	3.00	Carrier, Philip-----	31.50
Viger, Clarence-----	3.00	Enman, David-----	21.00
Viger, Raymonod-----	3.00	Gotto, Joseph-----	39.98
Virgin, Oscar-----	3.00	Hafford, Jerry M.---	8.40
Virgin, Philip-----	3.00	Hebert, Katherine---	1.31
Whynot, Zepha-----	22.43	Karpen, Mary & An-	
Woods, Edwin-----	39.75	thony -----	171.54
White, Heirs of Flora	215.25	Miller, Isaac & Co---	126.05
Waishwell, Youis-----	238.88	Nile, Mary Mrs.-----	134.40
Winslow, Everett P.--	9.56	Plumbstead, Frank H.	42.53
White, Heirs of Flora	215.25	Pye, Frank A.-----	5.51
Wing, James-----	47.63	Procopio, Paul-----	21.00
Waznis, Peter-----	4.31	Radcliff, Mabel T.---	42.00
Wing, Frank-----	29.25	Rumford Oil Co.-----	192.16
Wing, Samuel-----	4.31	Scribner Bros. & Sto-	
Whooley, William-----	4.31	well -----	63.01
Wadsworth, L. E.-----	4.31	Savoy, George B.-----	1.31
Warner, Joseph-----	3.00	Thurston, Heirs of	
Waznis, Tony-----	3.00	M. L.-----	220.50
Weliska, Stephen-----	3.00	Tuttle, Henry-----	1.31
Wenckus, Joseph-----	3.00	Virgin, Heirs of	
Wenckus, John-----	3.00	Geo. A.-----	210.78
Wey, W. T.-----	4.31	Wing, Mrs. Elvira,	
White, Cuvier-----	3.00	Heirs of-----	149.63

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Receipts

1936

In Account With Rumford Falls Trust Company

Balance on hand from previous year-----	\$ 584.45
Fees from victualer's, pool-room and bowling alleys, theatres and dog licenses -----	\$ 416.75
Fees collected by Town clerk-----	315.27
Tax deeds, for the year 1930-----	.47
Tax deeds, for the year 1931-----	37.42
Tax deeds, for the year 1932-----	230.95
Tax deeds, for the year 1933-----	1,130.84
Tax deeds, for the year 1934-----	1,316.80
Tax deeds, for the year 1935-----	2,020.04
Miscellaneous, including Telephone re- funds, excavation permits-----	14.70
Town farm, telephone refunds-----	2.95
Sundry Town Poor, for temporary aid--	397.14
From other Towns, for poor living in town -----	1,272.71
For equipment and materials sold, E. R. A. and W. P. A.-----	264.50
For rental of road equipment-----	915.28
Town of Rumford, for use of its equipment -----	8,784.46
For tar and labor-----	1,534.76
For snow removal-----	76.44
Dividend received on previous rental of equipment-----	275.82
For Rumford Center School house----	100.00
For wood sold-----	82.66
Rumford Falls Village Corporation, for Office supplies-----	3.66
Rumford School Department, for school fund, school supplies, evening school, tuition, repairs and school miscellaneous -----	1,189.62
Rental of Municipal offices and hall----	985.00
From Treasurer of State:	
Support of Paupers-----	\$12,509.71
Bank Stock tax-----	603.66

Vocational education	1,096.16
Health Department	466.62
Armory rental	500.00
Highways, for rock	15.75
	\$ 15,191.90
Taxes collected for 1936	112,749.87
Taxes collected for 1935	11,624.22
Taxes collected for 1934	374.33
Taxes collected for 1933	616.06
Taxes collected for 1932	564.72
Excise taxes collected	4,878.62
Tax deeds for the year 1935, purchased by the Town of Rumford	13,980.86
National Shawmut Bank, temporary loans	50,865.82
Interest on above loan	134.18
National Shawmut Bank, Tax Antic- ipation notes	197,975.00
Interest on above notes	2,025.00
Certificate of Deposit, Rumford Falls Trust Co.	37,500.00
Interest on above Certificate	375.00
Morse Bridge Bonds, National Shawmut Bank	17,500.00
Interest on above Bonds	297.50
Refunding Bonds, National Shawmut Bank	22,000.00
Interest on above Bonds	399.67
Flood Damage Note, National Shawmut Bank	14,902.02
Interest on above Note	197.98
Interest collected on Tax deeds	28.57
Interest on Trust Fund	1.00
Total funds deposited with the Rumford Falls Trust Company	\$526,135.01
Total checks drawn on orders signed by Selectmen	510,600.75
Balance on hand at close of year	\$15,534.26
Trust Fund, Will of late Flora L. Patch, John J. Ward, Executor, deposited in Savings Account with Rumford Falls Trust Company	\$ 100.00

Trust Fund, Will of late Ella Buzzell, deposited in Savings Account with Rumford Falls Trust Compnay.....	100.00
In Account With Rumford National Bank	
Balance on hand from previous year.....	\$ 2,175.77
Fees from victualer's, pool-room, thea- tres and dog licenses.....	\$ 226.00
Fees collected by Town Clerk.....	351.80
Tax deeds, for the year 1929.....	.59
Tax deeds, for the year 1930.....	40.87
Tax deeds, for the year 1931.....	39.58
Tax deeds, for the year 1932.....	734.38
Tax deeds, for the year 1933.....	983.58
Tax deeds, for the year 1934.....	1,505.31
Tax deeds, for the year 1935.....	2,937.76
Miscellaneous, including telephone re- funds, excavation permits, toxold treatments and contingent fund.....	314.58
Town farm, produce sold and telephone refunds	111.85
Town poor, for temporary aid.....	360.58
From other Towns, for poor living in town.....	1,999.97
For equipment and materials sold, W. P. A. and washouts repaired....	794.34
For rental of road equipment.....	1,493.24
For tar and labor.....	291.29
For snow removal.....	111.56
Town of Rumford, for use of its equipment	5,780.00
For wood sold.....	8.49
Rumford School Department, for school fund, supplies, repairs, manual training, tuition, evening school and school insurance.....	5,362.44
For rental of Municipal hall and offices..	1,028.50
From Treasurer of State:	
Support of Paupers....	\$ 5,712.56
Free Public Library....	170.00
Railroad and Telephone Tax	935.95
Refund on Dog taxes....	170.97
School fund.....	17,039.51
Health Department....	466.62

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3rd Class (Highway)---	2,710.08
Snow removal-----	3,522.40
Rental of Town equip- ment, gas for Nation- al Guard, wood and refill -----	127.70
	30,855.79
Taxes collected for 1936-----	220,113.27
Taxes collected for 1935-----	2,696.15
Taxes collected for 1934-----	447.03
Taxes collected for 1933-----	153.02
Taxes collected for 1932-----	281.35
Tax deed refunds-----	673.97
Tax Abatements-----	3,000.82
Excise taxes collected-----	4,336.92
Certificate of Deposit-----	37,500.00
Interest on above Certificate-----	225.00
W. P. A. Materials, note-----	9,950.68
Interest on above note-----	49.32
Transfer of funds for checking account	114,848.78
Equipment Reserve Fund-----	1,244.66
Interest on above fund-----	12.45
Interest collected on Tax deeds-----	126.34
Interest on Trust Fund-----	1.00
Total funds deposited with the Rumford National Bank-----	\$453,139.03
Total checks drawn on orders signed by Selectmen-----	448,662.84
Balance on hand at close of year-----	\$ 4,476.19
Certificate of Deposit, Equipment Reserve Fund, deposited with Rumford National Bank-----	\$ 2,279.72
All respectfully submitted,	
AMY B. LYON, Treasurer, Town of Rumford, Maine.	

REPORT OF AUDITOR

Rumford, Maine, January 13, 1937.

Selectmen, Town of Rumford, Maine.

Gentlemen:

I hereby certify that I have audited the accounts of the Town of Rumford for the year ending December 31st, 1936, and present herewith schedules reflecting the results of the year's operations and the financial condition of the Town at the close of the year as follows:

Balance Sheet

Unexpended Balances & Overdrafts

Reconcilement of General Revenue Surplus

Treasurer's Cash Account

Accounts Receivable

Accounts Payable

Summary of Appropriations and Unexpended Balance & Overdrafts

All receipts were checked, vouchers for expenditures and transfers examined, distributions and postings checked with distribution book and ledger.

The Treasurer's account was verified with warrants and reconciled with bank balances in the Rumford Falls Trust Company and the Rumford National Bank.

The Tax Collector's records were verified with payments to the Treasurer.

To the best of my knowledge and belief the statements herewith reflect as near as possible the true financial condition of the Town of Rumford at the close of business December 31st, 1936.

Respectfully submitted,

G. H. CLUNIE,
Town Auditor.

BALANCE SHEETS

	December 31, 1936.	
	Debits	Credits
Cash in Bank, R. F. Trust Co.-----	\$ 15,534.26	\$
Cash in Bank, Rumford Nat'l Bank	4,476.19	
Special Account-----	100.00	
Equipment Reserve-----	2,279.72	
Trust Funds in Deposit-----	2,000.00	
General Property Account-----	131.10	
Due from State Highway Comm.---	1,923.22	
Uncollected Taxes, 1933 -----	205.17	
1934 -----	1,554.65	
1935 -----	2,619.52	
1936 -----	25,671.87	
Accounts Receivable, 1936 -----	5,903.75	
1935 -----	1,067.32	
1934 -----	778.53	
1933 -----	1,352.18	
1932 -----	407.12	
1931 & Old--	45.66	
Funded Debt-----	291,500.00	
Tax Deeds-----	23,177.03	
Appropriation—		
Flood Expenses-----	\$15,100	
W. P. A. Materials-----	10,000	25,100.00
Inventory, Gas -----	119.22	
Clothing -----	4.04	
Wood -----	1,656.80	
1936 Net Overdraft-----	32,643.58	
Special Account-----		100.00
Equipment Reserve-----		2,279.82
Excise Taxes-----		2,975.33
Accounts Payable, 1936 -----		33,099.47
1935 -----		590.00
General Revenue Surplus-----		50,629.10
Serial Bonds for Current Expenses--		50,000.00
Municipal Building Bonds-----		24,000.00
Funding Bonds-----		95,000.00
Bridge Notes-----		35,000.00
Refunding & Improvement Bonds--		40,000.00
Equipment Bond-----		8,000.00
Morse Bridge Bonds-----		17,500.00
Refunding Bonds-----		22,000.00
Flood Damage Note-----		15,100.00

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WPA Temporary Note-----	10,000.00
Trust Funds-----	8,105.00
Trust Funds Deposited in Bank-----	2,000.00
Miscellaneous Income-----	4,705.45
State Aid Road-----	2,808.34
Third Class Construction-----	54.81
Third Class Maintenance-----	655.92
Morse Bridge Account-----	15,534.26
School Accounts to 1937-----	113.43

\$440,250.93	\$440,250.93
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UNEXPENDED BALANCES AND OVERDRAFTS

1936

	Debits	Credits
Abatement of Taxes-----	.82	
Insurance -----		566.76
Miscellaneous -----		2,598.56
Office Supplies & Officers Expenses-----	1,044.84	
Municipal Building-----		2,174.34
Salaries -----	179.03	
Suspense—gas -----	1,120.92	
" clothing -----		90.79
" wood -----	1,156.07	
Flood Expenses-----	975.21	
Roads -----	2,505.89	
Snow -----	6,167.46	
Tarvia -----	198.59	
State Highway Maint.-----		723.00
W. P. A.-----	2,325.44	
Mothers' Aid-----	336.13	
Hospital Fund-----	224.90	
Town Poor-----	23,866.46	
Town Farm-----	784.74	
School Repairs -----		4.56
" Misc. -----		1.40
" Ins. -----		13.61
" Light & Water-----		18.03
Library -----		4.16
Interest -----		1,497.71
Condensate Pump for Mun. Bldg.--		550.00
	\$ 40,886.50	\$ 8,242.92
Net Overdraft-----	32,643.58	

RECONCILEMENT OF GENERAL REVENUE SURPLUS

General Revenue Surplus, per books		
Jan. 1, 1936-----		\$ 51,054.39
Credits: Correction, State Poor vs.		
Town Poor-----	\$ 13.96	
Final Dividend J. H. Kerr		
Bankruptcy -----	275.82	289.78
		\$ 51,344.17
Debits: Accts. Rec., Billed in error--\$ 4.20		
Correction 1928 Taxes----	104.95	
Accts. Rec., Not Collectible	15.92	
Old Hospital Bills-----	590.00	715.07
Total General Revenue Surplus, Dec. 31, 1936--	\$ 50,629.10	

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT

Cash on Hand, Jan. 1, 1936-----	\$ 2,760.22
Receipts -----	861,665.04
Total -----	\$864,425.26
Disbursements -----	844,414.81
Cash on Hand, Jan. 1, 1937-----	\$ 20,010.45

RECONCILEMENT OF TREASURER'S ACCOUNT WITH
BANK ACCOUNTS

Balance on Hand, per book, Jan.	
1, 1937-----	\$ 20,010.45
Checks Outstanding—	
Trust Co.-----	\$ 349.63
National -----	2,142.15 2,491.78
	\$ 22,502.23
Cash on Hand not deposited-----	15.00
	\$ 22,487.23
Balance per Bank Statements:	
Rumford Falls Trust Co.-----	\$15,883.89
Rumford National Bank-----	6,603.34
	\$22,487.23

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ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

	1936	1935	1934	1933	1932	1931
Equipment						
\$ 210.39	\$ 353.35	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Miscellaneous		104.60				
Tarvia						
87.38	47.25					
State Poor						
4,405.13						
Other Town's Poor						
884.14	562.12	622.92	1,229.92	407.12	45.66	
Office Supplies						
7.80						
Town Farm						
42.02						
Suspense—Wood						
18.70						
Suspense—gas						
13.40						
Snow						
64.87						
Morse Bridge						
156.60						
Schools						
9.00						
Roads			135.62	122.26		
Smith's Crossing Sewer			20.00			
\$5,903.75	\$1,067.32	\$778.53	\$1,352.18	\$407.12	\$45.66	

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

	1936	1935
Hospital Bills-----	\$	\$590.00
Insurance -----	133.20	
Chisholm Ski Club-----	300.00	
Miscellaneous -----	1,056.27	
Office Supplies-----	278.69	
Municipal Building-----	651.89	
Suspense—clothing -----	10.96	
" gas -----	1,157.41	
" wood -----	69.22	
Roads -----	534.82	
Snow -----	214.41	
Equipment -----	2,803.17	
W. P. A. -----	136.73	
Mother's Aid-----	1,258.00	
Bridge Rehab.-----	2,243.34	
Town Poor-----	7,287.00	
Sundry " -----	941.08	
Other Town's Poor-----	348.07	
State Poor-----	2,106.36	
Town Farm-----	640.47	
Schools -----	2,299.76	
Library -----	231.12	
Interest -----	92.50	
Roosevelt Fund-----	50.00	
School District-----	3,255.00	
State Tax-----	5,000.00	
	\$33,099.47	\$590.00

1936 SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS AND UNEXPENDED BALANCES AND OVERDRAFTS

Accounts	Balance from 1935	Assessed Appropriations	Expenditures & Accounts Payable	Departmental Receipts	Net Charges to Appropriations	Unexpended Balances	Overdrafts	Unexpended to 1937
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Abatement of Taxes		3,000.00	3,000.82		3,000.82		.82	
Armistice Day		75.00	75.00		75.00			
Assisting Local Militia		150.00	150.00		150.00			
Chisholm Ski Club		300.00	300.00		300.00			
Memorial Day		75.00	75.00		75.00			
Town Insurance		3,000.00	2,438.19	25.95	2,433.24	566.76		
Town Miscellaneous		7,000.00	6,687.42	2,285.98	4,401.44	2,598.56		
Office Supplies & Officers Expenses		2,500.00	3,560.45	15.61	3,544.84		1,044.84	
Maintenance & Operation of Municipal Building		5,500.00	4,001.62	675.96	3,325.66	2,174.34		
Salaries		19,700.00	20,864.73	985.70	19,879.03		179.03	
Suspense — Gas			8,166.70	7,045.78	1,120.92		1,120.92	
Suspense — Clothing			370.61	461.40	90.79*	90.79		
Suspense — Wood			8,047.87	6,891.80	1,156.07		1,156.07	
Flood Expenses			8,863.05	7,897.84	975.21		975.21	
Road Expenses	12,000.00		18,066.03	3,560.14	14,505.89		2,505.89	
Winter Maintenance of Roads	8,000.00		17,961.00	3,793.54	14,167.46		6,167.46	
Equipment			28,014.28	28,014.28				
Tarvia		5,000.00	7,350.67	2,152.08	5,198.59		198.59	
State Aid Road	450.02*	1,865.00	475.05	1,868.41	1,393.36*	723.00		2,808.34
State Highway Maintenance		1,335.00	612.00		612.00			
State Aid Road Patrol		540.00	540.00		540.00			
Third Class Road Construction			2,747.63	2,802.44	54.81*			54.81
Third Class Maintenance	255.00	852.73	451.81		451.81			655.92
Bridge Rehabilitation								
WPA Materials			12,020.53	8,341.41	3,679.12	1,353.68	3,679.12)	
Mother's Aid		5,000.00	13,861.03	10,214.71	3,646.32		336.13	
Hospital Fund		4,500.00	4,840.63	4.50	4,836.13		224.90	
Town Poor		2,500.00	2,721.90		2,724.90			
		45,060.00	69,964.76	1,008.30	68,966.46		23,866.46	

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HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

The work of the Health Department has been carried on along the same lines as in former years.

After the spring flood it was deemed advisable to offer general protection against Typhoid. Treatments were given at the Health Office, the Oxford Mill, and at several stations in different parts of the town. The medical profession collaborated in the fullest degree. About 6,000 persons were treated. Not a single case of Typhoid was reported.

Although the spring flood and the summer drought each afforded suitable conditions for an infected water supply, no water borne disease has resulted. For this the chlorinator is largely responsible.

The milk supply has been well supervised, and no milk borne disease has been reported.

Medical service to town dependants has been given during the year, to about the same extent as in former years, about 2800 patients receiving attention.

The hospital appropriation this year has been overdrawn, partly because of the large number of patients needing hospitalization, and partly because in several instances patients required hospital care over an unusual period of time.

It should be remembered that the original hospital appropriation of \$2500 was made at a time when there was much less call upon the town for medical care than at present, and that the original amount has never been increased to meet present needs.

School examinations have been conducted this year under a new plan by which the physician sees only those cases requiring special observation, with more time, as a result, to give special cases.

Diphtheria prevention by the use of Toxoid has been practiced, as for several years past, but there is still failure of many parents to take advantage of the treatment. Far greater cooperation is most to be desired. However, no Diphtheria appeared in Rumford during 1936.

The following infectious diseases have been reported to the Health Department during 1936:

German Measles-----	55	Cases
Scarlet Fever-----	30	"
Whooping Cough-----	10	"
Pneumonia-----	10	"
Chicken Pox-----	7	"

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Influenza -----	4	"
Mumps -----	2	"
Cerebro Spinal Meningitis -----	2	"

There were epidemics of Scarlet Fever and German Measles during the winter months; and an epidemic of Scarlet Fever during the fall months, with one case left to be released. These cases were mild, and caused no alarm.

It is evident that the doctors are reluctant to report other than quarantinable diseases, a reluctance which seems to exist throughout the State.

In looking over the Vital Statistics which follow, note the predominance of female births and deaths over the male. Is this compensatory? Also note the number of accidental deaths which comprise more than 10 per cent of the total number.

VITAL STATISTICS, 1936

Total Births		
Male	Female	Total
124	143	267

Living Births		
Male	Female	Total
119	137	256
Children born dead		11

Births Rumford Parentage Only		
Male	Female	Total
104	124	228

Living Rumford Births		
Male	Female	Total
101	119	220
Children born dead		8

Total Deaths		
Male	Female	Total
69	76	145

Rumford Deaths Only		
Male	Female	Total
36	58	94

Number of Deaths by Decades and Causes of Death
Stillborn ----- 11

Died Under One Week—14

Prematurity.....	5	Congenital defect.....	3
Accident of Birth.....	2	Marasmus.....	1
Hemorrhage.....	2	Hemophilia.....	1

From One Week to One Year—7

Birth Accident.....	2	Intestinal Obstruction.....	1
Prematurity.....	1	Pneumonia.....	2
Whooping Cough.....	1		

From One Year to 10 Years—9

Pneumonia.....	5	Ruptured Appendix.....	1
Auto Accident.....	2	Hemorrhage.....	1

From 10 Years to 20 Years

Auto Accident.....	1	Motor Cycle Accident.....	1
Intestinal Obstruction.....	1	Sarcoma.....	1

From 20 Years to 30 Years—15

Auto Accident.....	3	Cerebro Spinal Meningitis.....	1
Pneumonia.....	2	Surgical Shock.....	1
Tuberculosis.....	2	Mastoid Disease.....	1
Motor Cycle Accident.....	1	Septicemia.....	1
Gunshot Accident.....	1	Rupture of Duodenum.....	1
Electrocution (accident).....	1		

From 30 Years to 40 Years—5

Carbon Monoxide Poison.....	1	Coronary Thrombosis.....	1
Auto Accident.....	1	General Infection.....	1
Pneumonia.....	1		

From 40 Years to 50 Years—9

Cancer.....	3	Mastoid Disease.....	1
Pneumonia.....	2	Intestinal Obstruction.....	1
Heart Disease.....	1	Hypothyroidism.....	1

From 50 Years to 60 Years—13

Cancer.....	4	Chronic Nephritis.....	1
Heart Disease.....	3	Mesenteric Thrombosis.....	1
Pneumonia.....	1	Ruptured Appendix.....	1
Coronary Thrombosis.....	1	Auto Accident.....	1

From 60 Years to 70 Years—26

Coronary Thrombosis.....	6	Auto Accident.....	1
Pneumonia.....	3	Drowning Accident.....	1
Cerebral Hemorrhage.....	2	Traumatic Embolism.....	1
Chronic Nephritis.....	2	Abscess of Lung.....	1
Arterio Sclerosis.....	2	Uremia.....	1
Diabetes.....	2	Post Operative Hemor-	
Heart Disease.....	2	rhage.....	1
Woods Accident.....	1		

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From 70 Years to 80 Years—22

Cerebral Hemorrhage-----	6	Intestinal Obstruction-----	2
Heart Disease -----	5	Senility -----	1
Pneumonia -----	3	Postoperative Thrombosis-----	1
Cancer -----	3	Uremia -----	1

From 80 Years to 90 Years—9

Cerebral Hemorrhage-----	3	Arterio Sclerosis-----	2
Heart Disease-----	3	Pneumonia -----	1

From 90 Years to 100 Years—1

Heart Disease-----	1
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Respectfully Submitted,

THOMAS S. BURR, M. D.,
Health Officer.

LIBRARY

CREDITS

EXPENDITURES

	Salaries	Lights, Water & Tel.	Periodicals	Main-tenance	Fiction Book	Repairs	Fuel	Juvenile	Adult	Misc.	Totals
January (Appropriation)	\$ 850.00	\$ 190.80	\$ 19.25	\$ 22.50	\$ 5.00						\$ 233.55
February (Appropriation)	3,400.00	190.80	20.19	5.00						2.81	218.80
March		194.40	15.25	6.00	18.80	59.84		72.38	33.40		435.79
April		286.20	22.37		40.80						391.05
May		190.80	9.13	13.50	21.00					10.60	245.03
June		190.80	13.34	8.00	10.25			40.95	18.51		302.64
July		190.80	17.17								207.97
August	170.00	190.80	9.85	20.80	9.00	63.32	10.50	78.48	5.10		438.31
September		320.58	22.18	89.10	109.19	1.68		49.60	25.30	227.05	871.43
October		190.80	14.80				228.94				434.54
November		190.80	22.13								212.93
December		192.68									192.68
Accounts Payable			25.84		18.96			54.68	65.74		231.12
Totals	\$4,420.00	\$2,520.26	\$211.50	\$165.90	\$228.00	\$124.84	\$239.44	\$296.09	\$148.05	\$240.46	\$4,415.84
							Unexpended Balance				4.16
							Equal Total Credits				\$4,420.00

RUMFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY REPORT GENERAL STATISTICS

Annual Report for Year Ending December 31, 1936.

Rumford Public Library, Rumford, Maine.

Librarian, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Bisbee.

Date of founding, 1903.

Population served (Census 1930)-----	10,340
Number of days open during year-----	305
Hours open each week for reading and lending-----	51
Number of volumes accessioned at end of year 1935--	16,058
Number of volumes added during 1936 by purchase--	709
Number of volumes added during year by gift-----	49
Total additions-----	758
Number of books accessioned at end of year 1936----	16,816
Number of volumes in library at beginning of year 1936 -----	14,663
Number of volumes withdrawn (discarded or lost)---	69
Number of volumes replaced during year-----	30
Number of volumes in library at end of year-----	15,382
Number of newspapers and periodicals currently received -----	92
Number of volumes bound at bindery-----	276
Number of volumes circulated—adult-----	36,074
Number of volumes circulated—juvenile-----	18,402
Total number of volumes circulated-----	54,476
Number of pictures circulated-----	101
Average daily circulation-----	178
Total number of registrations-----	4,175
Number of borrowers registered in 1936-----	458
Number of non-resident paid memberships-----	22
Number of temporary cards issued-----	21
Number of staff, library services, full time-----	2
Number of staff, library services, part time-----	1
Number of books circulated each month in 1936:	
January -----	4,572
February -----	4,739
March -----	4,842
April -----	4,494
May -----	3,328
June -----	5,013
July -----	4,691
August -----	4,461
September -----	3,690
October -----	4,454
November -----	5,444
December -----	4,748
Total -----	
54,476	

Largest circulation for one month, November-----	5,444
Largest circulation for one day, November 13th-----	342
Accessions	
Adult fiction-----	277
Juvenile fiction-----	182
General works-----	34
Philosophy -----	7
Religion -----	23
Sociology -----	65
Language -----	1
Science -----	14
Useful arts-----	19
Fine arts-----	18
Literature -----	47
Travel -----	22
History -----	12
Biography -----	37
Total -----	758

RUMFORD PUBLIC LIBRARY

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

To the Trustees of the Rumford Public Library:

I have the honor to present the 32nd annual report of the Rumford Public Library.

Circulation, which means the number of books, magazines and pamphlets loaned for home reading is generally regarded as the thermometer which registers a year's work in a library. It registers imperfectly, however, in that when a book is loaned and counted there is no record of how many persons have the use of the volume before it is returned on the original count. This is true particularly in the loan of collections to the schools.

Our year's records show a drop of 389 below the circulation of 1935, but a gain of 600 over that of 1934. That the library is increasing in service, however, is shown from the fact that the average yearly circulation for the past five years was 55,681. For the preceding five years it was 39,023.

Circulation by departments:

	Adults	Juvenile	Total
Fiction -----	29,315	15,238	44,553
Non-Fiction -----	4,586	2,626	7,212
Periodicals -----	1,908	548	2,456
French Books-----	255		255

54,476

A drop in the circulation of periodicals is noted, doubtless due to the necessity of keeping certain magazines out of reach of persistent vandalism. Although the issues are avail-

able on call, yet it is a regrettable situation and one which takes away in a great measure the usefulness of some of the most popular magazines.

Using the 1930 census as a basis, 40% of the town's population are registered borrowers. We maintain no branch stations, so library service to the many outlying communities is necessarily limited.

Twelve books were lost by reason of flood and fire. A number of other volumes were damaged, but they were rebound and put back into service.

Among the important books purchased this year are: The American Year Book 1931-1935; The Encyclopedia Americana, 30 volumes, 1936 edition; the 19th and 20th volumes of Dictionary of American Biography and Manners and Customs of Mankind, 4 volumes.

It is estimated from records necessarily incomplete, that nearly 10,000 persons visited the reading room during the year.

Our outstanding need, as stated in my two previous reports is for expansion. The reading room at times cannot comfortably accommodate all classes of readers, and its shelves are insufficient for the growing number of reference books. The stacks are overcrowded so that radiators, window sills and all sorts of supports have to be pressed into service as shelves.

We can offer most satisfying reports this year from the Junior Department. The circulation was 3,194 above that of last year, and 1,318 over the average for the past five years. More books were purchased than in previous years, and the resulting gain in interest would indicate the necessity for providing sufficient number of books, so that younger readers may not be too limited as to choice in each particular grade.

Miss Thomas visited the schools in May, and again in November, telling stories and giving book reviews in each grade. Unbounded enthusiasm always attends the story telling and circulation increases by leaps and bounds. This is not particularly significant, but it is significant that reading interest has been sustained throughout the year. Children's Book Week was observed in November, following the visits to schools, and 78 new books were put into circulation at that time.

Classroom collections have been sent to teachers in the Chisholm, Pettengill, Virginia and St. Athanasius Schools. Four collections for outside reading were also sent to the

Kimball School. Twenty teacher's cards have been in use during the year. The hearty cooperation which we receive from the teachers is of invaluable assistance to us in putting the worth while books into the hands of your younger members.

At the request of the scout masters of the local troops, a complete set of merit badge pamphlets, 128 in number, were purchased for the use of Boy Scouts.

Gifts of books were received from Mrs. Mabel S. Kennard, Charles L. Brown, Mrs. F. R. Andrews, Mrs. Charles Howe, Miss Edith Flagg, M. R. Griffith, Mrs. Louis Charity, Joe Rossi, E. P. Kennedy, Charles R. Gay and Bernard Baruch. Books were presented also by Maine State Library, Chemical Foundation, Charles Scribner's Sons, Atlantic Monthly Co., American Liberty League, and Firestone Tire and Rubber Co.

The Church of Christ, Scientist, contributed the Christian Science Monitor and copies of the Christian Science Sentinel.

The Amariscoggin Chapter, D. A. R., continues to donate the Daughters of the American Revolution Magazine. Other magazines received as gifts included Christian Leader, Christian Register, Church World, Columbia, Life and Health, Golfing, Rotarian, Elks Magazine and Specialty Salesman.

Books for loaning purposes which we could not supply were borrowed from Bangor Public Library, Portland Public Library and General Theological Seminary, New York. Many of our members have been granted individual loans from the Maine State Library, which is a most valuable source of supply, and which gives a ready response to all calls for materials of reference or research.

During the months of July and August the Library was closed at 8 P. M., except Monday and Saturday evenings. Despite the shorter hours the average circulation for the two months was 259 over the average for July and August in the five previous years.

There have been no changes in the staff. Miss Merna Thomas serves as assistant and junior librarian and Miss Evangeline Bernier is the substitute.

Miss Thomas was present at the sessions of the Round Table Meeting held last April in Freeport, and the librarian attended the State Meeting held in Waterville September 10-11.

The main floor, also the Junior room received a thorough cleaning in April.

Seven new lamps of the most modern and approved type for library use were purchased for the reading room. These

lights add very much to the service and appearance of the reading room.

Only minor repairs made toward the general upkeep of the building.

At this time I wish to express my appreciation to the members of the Board of Trustees for their kindly consideration, to my assistants for their continued support, to the manager and staff of the Rumford Falls Times for the space which they contributed to our messages of good reading, to the donors of reading materials, and to all whose kindly interest makes them friends of the Library.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH A. BISBEE,

Librarian.

Money received from fines and paid cards-----	\$261.53
Money received from rentals-----	171.57
Money received from books lost, and other sources--	14.70
Total -----	\$447.80

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE TOWN OF
RUMFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE YEAR
ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1936

Receipts

Balance on hand December 31, 1935	\$ 211.50
Received from Town on account 1935	
Appropriation	\$ 250.00
Received from Town Balance 1935 Ap-	
propriation	3,250.00
Received from Town on account 1936	
Appropriation	5,500.00
Insurance Refund	48.64
Total	9,048.64
	\$9,260.14

Expenditures

Interest on Bonds	\$4,880.00
Bonds retired December 1, 1936	3,000.00
Typewriters, Clock and Adding Machine	445.00

Drills	10.85	
Cement and lime	20.00	
Shrubbery for High School	57.97	
Legal Expenses	45.00	
Treasurer's salary	25.00	
Treasurer's Bond	20.00	
Crushed rock and gravel	25.00	
Insurance	612.51	
Total		9,141.33
Balance on hand December 31, 1936		118.81
		\$9,260.14
Due from Town Balance 1936 Appropriation		\$3,255.00

Respectfully submitted,

E. C. CARRIER,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF BUILDING INSPECTOR

Rumford, Maine, January 13, 1937.

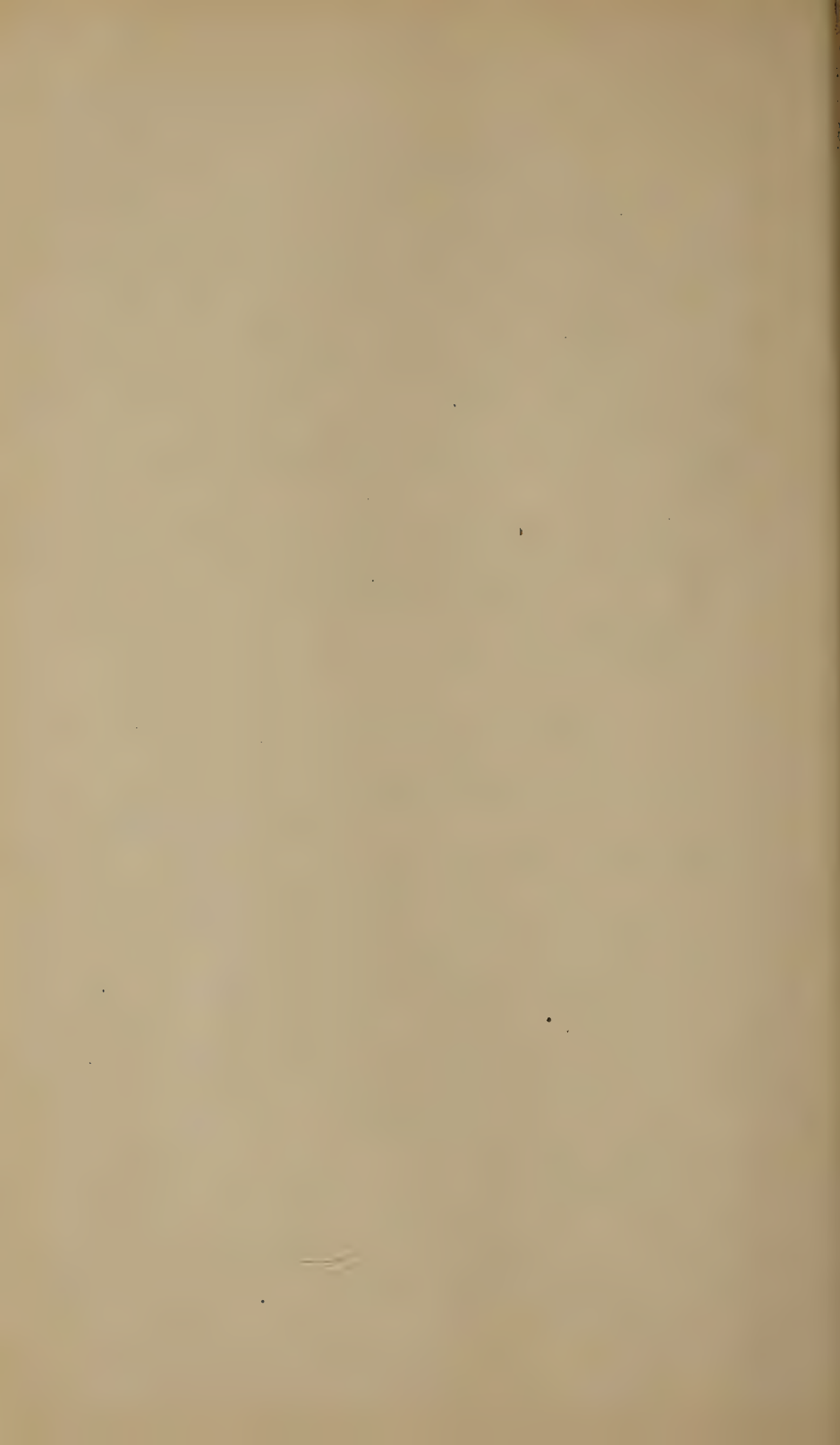
Selectmen of Rumford,
Gentlemen:

Construction during the year 1936 totalled about \$14,665.00, divided as follows:

Houses, new	4
Houses, additions	16
Remodelling and repairs	15
Garages	9
Store buildings	4
Lumber Mill	1
Hên House	1

Respectfully,

B. F. JOSE,
[Building Inspector.



Annual Report

OF THE

School Committee

AND THE

Superintendent of Schools

OF THE

TOWN OF RUMFORD

FOR THE

Year Ending December 31, 1936

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SCHOOL FUND

Receipts

Balance unexpended, 1935-----	\$ 148.73
Town Appropriation, 1936-----	82,000.00
State School Fund-----	14,275.81
Agricultural, State and Federal Aid--	294.85
Trade and Industrial, State and Fed-	
eral Aid, E. L. McManus' salary----	2,165.32
Continental Paper & Bag Corp, E. L.	
McManus' salary-----	1,276.68
Tuition -----	2,067.00
Interest on School Note-----	175.80
Incidental Receipts-----	607.31
Total Receipts-----	\$103,011.50

COMMON SCHOOL SALARIES

Expenditures

Abbott, Eloise-----	\$ 1,235.00
Bean, Edna B.-----	1,091.45
Beeaker, Elizabeth-----	663.39
Blackmore, Thelma-----	805.75
Boothby, Elizabeth-----	1,091.45
Burnham, Florence-----	34.00
Burr, Lucy A.-----	920.86
Bushley, Margaret-----	849.92
Carey, Evelyn-----	55.50
Caron, Jacqueline-----	245.50
Chamberlin, Hazel-----	805.75
Chase, Rose-----	830.83
Clancey, Marguerite H.-----	1,010.73
Cohen, Sonia-----	18.25
Cole, Ethel N.-----	1,010.73
Cone, A. Louise-----	1,010.73
Coombs, Marguerite-----	1.00
Daly, Genie-----	4.25
Davis, Virginia S.-----	840.83
Durepo, Madeline T.-----	1,091.45
Dyer, Anna Belle-----	14.00

Elliot, S. Louise	805.75
Farnum, Annah O.	1,185.96
Fortier, Eleanor	848.11
Fortier, Mary Jane	825.61
Gallant, Mildred	848.11
Gaudet, Bernice	10.00
Griffith, Clare E.	1,185.96
Griffith, Sarah M.	1,036.80
Hanson, Irene	955.87
Higgins, Bessie E.	1,222.00
Hinds, Avis	63.75
Hopkins, Alice J.	1,185.96
Hopkins, Anne F.	887.18
Howe, Florence	920.86
Irish, Lovina D.	1,498.00
Jackson, Clara L.	1,185.96
Keweza, Anne	805.75
Kilgore, Helen	40.00
Libby, Lillian I.	1,091.45
Locke, Doris L.	849.31
McGee, Theresa	805.65
McInnis, Margaret	805.75
McInnis, Susan	932.86
Martin, Helen	29.50
Matthieu, Rose	999.28
Nason, Lucille	53.50
Perry, Irene H.	1,185.96
Perry, Mabel	76.00
Poland, Kathleen V.	1,110.85
Roderick, Leona	830.61
Scott, A. Beryl	1,091.45
Sessions, Marion	867.01
Shea, Elinor A.	966.03
Shields, Anne	848.11
Sweatt, Ida D.	1,317.00
Taylor, Letha	848.11
Teachers' Retirement Fund	837.45
Thurston, Helen	830.61
Watson, Gertrude B.	1,185.96
Welch, Grace	848.11
Wentzell, Goldie	11.20
Williams, Hope D.	1,036.80

Total Common School Salaries \$ 48,601.86

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COMMON SCHOOL JANITORS

Beane, John	\$ 648.90
Belyea, A. T.	539.70
Cote, Philip	17.02
Donahue, Thomas	180.60
Elliot, Rupert	54.00
Evans, Pat	504.00
Mercier, H. E.	648.90
Paquin, Henry	648.90
Peare, E. L.	4.00
St. Pierre, Ulric	648.90
Sicotte, Albert	289.80

Total Common School Janitors-----\$ 4,184.72

HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS

Allen, Dorothea	\$ 1,215.97
Anderson, Minerva F.	1,343.32
Baum, Raymond A.	1,324.61
Brown, Harry C.	2,100.00
Burgess, Ruth W.	1,279.88
Cohen, Harry J.	493.26
Coombs, Marguerite	15.00
Cormier, Lucia M.	1,089.72
Delisle, Geraldine	2.00
Dolan, John P.	466.62
Dunton, Gladys	493.26
Durepo, Levi G.	2,100.00
Dwyer, Basil S.	1,624.51
Faulkingham, B. N.	1,729.38
Gaudet, Bernice	181.00
Jensen, Alice	10.00
Karpauick, Tillie	195.00
Keyo, Howard A.	1,282.94
Lord, George E.	3,354.00
McManus, E. L.	2,539.80
Martin, Frances L.	989.72
Maynard, Thomas L.	834.19
Merrill, Shirley	4.00
Murphy, Julia L.	1,445.72
Nason, Lucille	4.00
Pouliot, Lorraine	10.00
Ross, John S.	1,324.61
Rowe, Elizabeth	177.25

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Rowell, Frances-----	2.00
Rowell, Harold E.-----	1,585.31
Teachers' Retirement Fund-----	623.42
Wilson, Eleanor-----	3.00
Worcester, Frank-----	7.25

Total High School Teachers-----\$ 29,850.74

HIGH SCHOOL JANITORS

Howard, F. F., Supervisor Buildings--\$	2,089.89
Lavoie, Ed-----	829.50
Robbins, Annie-----	45.60
Swan, Archie-----	829.50

Total High School Janitors-----\$ 3,794.49

CONVEYANCE

Arsenault, Wilfred-----\$	17.50
Breau, Exilda-----	37.00
Bulger, Raymond-----	27.50
Cameron, Arthur-----	936.00
Farrar, Richard-----	540.00
Farren, James R.-----	176.25
Frost, E. C.-----	264.00
Glover, Mrs. Alvin-----	20.00
Goddard, Howard-----	462.00
Golden, Nelson-----	137.50
Holman, Harold-----	168.00
Learned, P. W.-----	1.00
Lefebvre, Alphonse-----	216.00
Lizotte, Levite-----	210.00
Mitchell, Herberta-----	180.00
Peare, Ernest-----	930.00
Rees, Edyth-----	374.00
Richards, Oscar-----	54.00
Thibodeau, Ernest-----	360.00
Thurston, L. J.-----	110.00
West, Frank-----	195.00
Waznis, Mrs. Frank-----	180.00

Total Conveyance-----\$ 5,595.75

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FUEL

Clough & Pillsbury	\$ 12.00
Farrar, Richard B.	128.00
Glover, John H.	84.00
Hanover Dowel Co.	13.00
Reed Fuel Co.	1,193.28
Town of Rumford	4.80
Waterhouse, E. B.	2,358.64

Total Fuel-----\$ 3,793.72

TEXTBOOKS

Allyn & Bacon	\$ 65.80
American Book Co.	138.74
Berry Paper Co.	4.14
Birchard & Co., C. C.	2.60
Bullard Co., L. J.	38.40
Clarkson Publishing Co.	30.85
Columbia University Press	32.18
Compton & Co., F. E.	71.53
Daniels, Julia F.	12.05
Desmond Publishing Co.	112.50
Fischer, Inc., Carl	19.76
French, Samuel	7.50
Funk & Wagnalls Co.	1.29
Ginn & Co.	44.50
Gregg Publishing Co.	13.99
Guidance Publishing Co. Inc	.35
Heath & Co., D. C.	179.07
Institute for Research	22.50
Interstate Printing Co.	12.27
Iroquois Publishing Co.	638.83
Journal of Education	3.00
Lippincott Co., J. B.	9.51
Lyons & Carnahan	354.13
Macmillan Co.	21.02
Palmer Co., A. N.	41.50
Quarrie & Co., W. F.	135.80
Rand McNally & Co.	80.96
Scott, Foresman & Co.	44.35
Scribner's Sons, Chas.	52.53
Silver, Burdett & Co.	434.36
Singer Co., L. W.	15.06

South-western Publishing Co.-----	34.91
Toothaker, O. H.-----	22.94
Winston Co., John C.-----	147.31

Total Textbooks-----\$ 2,846.23

SUPPLIES

Advance Educational Counsel-----\$	5.98
American Educational Press Inc.-----	6.20
American Council on Education-----	12.25
Atwood & Atwood-----	18.13
Babb & Co. Inc., E. E.-----	7.84
Beckley-Cardy Co.-----	9.48
Berry Paper Co.-----	180.43
Birchard & Co., C. C.-----	15.48
Bostitch, Inc., Boston-----	9.74
Boston Music Co.-----	1.84
Burgess, Merle F.-----	2.05
Central Scientific Co.-----	92.91
Chamberlin Metal Weather Strip Co.---	20.00
Cheshire Chemical Co.-----	54.00
Chicago Apparatus Co.-----	96.97
Classroom Teacher, Inc.-----	30.51
Clough & Pillsbury-----	46.92
Dixfield Lumber Co.-----	50.05
Dolge Co., C. B.-----	57.34
Dow, Lenora D.-----	4.75
Eastman Kodak Co.-----	4.61
Frye Co., Geo. C.-----	5.16
Gledhill Bros. Inc.-----	31.71
Gottschald, Roy I.-----	14.53
Hammett Co., J. L.-----	1,166.73
Hanson, H. W.-----	8.50
Haseltine, H. L.-----	2.50
Hicks & Pennell-----	17.23
Hy-gien Laboratories, Inc.-----	37.75
Loring, Short & Harmon-----	87.66
M. C. R. R. Co.-----	3.00
Maine Public Health Assn.-----	4.11
Mansur, Arthur R.-----	11.00
Milton Bradley Co.-----	539.18
Mittag & Volger-----	3.50
National Survey Co.-----	9.00

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Newell the Druggist.....	15.41
Nichols Co. Inc., T. G.....	20.78
Oxford Paper Co.....	371.82
Owen Publishing Co., T. A.....	25.34
Papercrafters Inc.....	7.69
Phillips Paper Co.....	123.30
Rand McNally & Co.....	18.95
Remington Rand, Inc.....	241.72
Roberts, J. B.....	104.70
Roberts Office Supply Co.....	114.36
Roderick, E. J.....	59.84
Rumford Cut Price Market.....	35.25
Rumford Drug Store.....	8.86
Rumford Falls Light & Water Co.....	14.50
Rumford Furniture Co.....	9.88
Rumford Jewelry Co.....	321.50
Rumford Publishing Co.....	56.75
Sacknoff & Sons, Inc., Morris.....	15.12
Taylor, Frank M.....	38.25
Thornton, Prescott.....	6.00
Turner Center Debate Bureau.....	9.21
Twin City Chemical Co.....	8.00
West Disinfecting Co.....	12.00
Woolworth Co., F. W.....	4.65

Total Supplies.....\$ 4,312.42

SCHOOL FUND

Total Receipts.....	\$103,011.50
Total Expenditures.....	102,979.93
Total Balance.....	\$ 31.57

REPAIR ACCOUNT

Receipts

Town Appropriation, 1936.....	\$ 2,000.00
Incidental receipts.....	241.37

Total Receipts.....\$ 2,241.37

Expenditures

Arsenault, Emile.....	\$ 115.20
Belyea, A. T.....	36.00
Boutot, Isaac.....	34.00
Bragdon Paint Co., M. F.....	124.40

Burgess, Fobes Co.	16.40
Carroll Co., F. B.	17.32
Clarke, Ralph L.	40.69
Clark Foundry Co.	40.62
Clough & Pillsbury	24.67
Cummings, Geo. W. Inc.	519.10
Dolge Co., C. B.	116.55
Elliott, Alfred	23.62
Evans, Pat	34.00
Gagne, Chas.	10.00
Gauthier & Son, A.	11.55
Glover Co., Inc., L. M.	71.67
Hicks & Pennell	92.95
Holmerden Co.	45.50
Howe, Chas. E.	10.85
Hy-gien Laboratories, Inc.	51.03
International Engineering Works, Inc.	12.39
Kerr Inc., James H.	210.69
Kerrigan Co., T. W.	130.72
LaMaison Products Inc.	173.75
Macgregor, Rodney	8.27
Martin, Stuart F.	5.68
Masury-Young Co.	30.54
Mooney, Mathias	7.25
O'Connor & Snyder	41.01
Packard, Harry P.	20.88
Pioneer Mfg. Co.	10.93
Pouliot, Louis L.	18.25
Robbins, Annie	5.60
Rochester Germicide Co.	45.80
Ruff, Bruce L.	22.75
Rumford Falls Light & Water Co.	.98
Towle, Carl E.	10.40
Town of Rumford	44.80

Total Repairs	\$ 2,236.81
Balance unexpended	4.56

Equal Total Receipts	\$ 2,241.37
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MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNT

Receipts

Town Appropriation, 1936-----\$ 4,200.00
 Incidental receipts-----14.45

Total Receipts-----\$ 4,214.45

Expenditures

Carrier, Roland-----\$ 232.00
 Carver's Express-----.75
 Fogg, G. A.-----7.80
 Howe, C. E.-----15.25
 Lapointe, Joseph-----18.00
 M. C. R. R. Co.-----13.01
 Mansur, Arthur-----65.75
 N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.-----468.38
 Oxford Printing Co.-----23.50
 Railway Express Co.-----2.91
 Roderick, E. J.-----141.70
 Rumford Falls Insurance Agency-----10.00
 Rumford Publishing Co.-----23.00
 Williams, L. E.-----3,191.00

Total Miscellaneous-----\$ 4,213.05
 Balance unexpended-----1.40

Equal Total Receipts-----\$ 4,214.45

LIGHT AND WATER ACCOUNT

Receipts

Town Appropriation, 1936-----\$2,700.00

Total Receipts-----\$ 2,700.00

Expenditures

Arsenault, Emile-----\$ 57.60
 Bragdon Co., M. T.-----15.19
 Boutot, Isaac-----26.00
 Ruff, Bruce L.-----25.00
 Rumford Falls Light & Water Co.-----2,072.11
 Rumford & Mexico Water District-----479.87
 Towle, Carl E.-----6.20

Total Light & Water-----\$ 2,681.97
 Balance unexpended-----18.03

Equal Total Receipts-----\$ 2,700.00

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INSURANCE ACCOUNT

Receipts

Town Appropriation, 1936	\$ 1,800.00
Incidental receipts	517.87

Total Receipts.....\$ 2,317.87

Expenditures

Oxford Insurance Agency	\$ 549.86
Rumford Falls Insurance Agency	937.26
Rumford & Mexico Insurance Agency	817.14
Total Insurance	\$ 2,304.26
Balance unexpended	13.61

Equal Total Receipts.....\$ 2,317.87

HOME ECONOMICS ACCOUNT

Receipts

Balance unexpended, 1935	\$ 3.24
Town Appropriation, 1936	700.00
State and Federal Aid	671.73

Total Receipts.....\$ 1,374.97

Expenditures

Dow, Lenora D.	\$ 1,240.34
Farren, Charles	4.84
Jerry's Cash Market	48.50
McKenzie Co., C. H.	5.76
Manual Arts Press	1.04
Nason, Lucille	31.50
Pray Co., H. W.	9.00

Total Home Economics.....\$ 1,340.98

Balance unexpended.....33.99

Equal Total Receipts.....\$ 1,374.97

MANUAL TRAINING ACCOUNT

Receipts

Balance unexpended, 1935	\$ 23.66
Town Appropriation, 1936	1,500.00
State and Federal Aid	942.64
Incidental receipts	29.51

Total Receipts.....\$ 2,495.81

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Expenditures

Bragdon Paint Co., M. F.-----	\$ 87.14
Brodhead-Garrett Co.-----	118.75
Burgess, Fobes Co.-----	5.90
Hicks & Pennell-----	4.48
Jackson, Earl M.-----	20.00
Small & Son, A. E.-----	20.20
Woodward, Dorr H.-----	2,199.92

Total Manual Training-----\$ 2,456.39

Balance unexpended-----39.42

Equal Total Receipts-----\$ 2,495.81

EVENING SCHOOL ACCOUNT

Receipts

Balance unexpended, 1935-----	\$ 187.52
Town Appropriation, 1936-----	800.00
State and Federal Aid-----	1,493.99
Incidental receipts-----	97.20

Total Receipts-----\$ 2,578.71

Expenditures

Allen, Dorothea-----	\$ 120.00
American Book Co.-----	82.62
Babb & Co., E. E.-----	52.42
Bessey, Evangeline-----	6.00
Britton Co., C. E.-----	15.00
Brown, Harry-----	80.00
Caron, Ethel-----	180.00
Caron, Jacqueline-----	7.50
Dow, Lenora-----	27.00
French, Tom-----	60.00
Hall, Sadie-----	138.00
Kerr Inc., James H.-----	9.92
LeBlanc, Desmas-----	8.55
Linnell, Dora-----	17.50
McManus, E. L.-----	400.00
Mitchell, Herberta-----	200.00
Perry, Irene-----	210.00
Rasytinis, Marcella-----	17.00
Richardson, Claude-----	30.00

Rumford Publishing Co.-----	28.75
Smith, Albert-----	60.00
Stearns, Walter J.-----	90.00
Tardif, Napoleon-----	57.00
Todd, Ethelyn-----	135.00
Withee, Lottie-----	138.00
Woodward, Dorr H.-----	160.00
Works, Mary-----	180.00
Wulff, Agnete-----	60.00
Total Evening School-----	\$ 2,570.26
Balance unexpended-----	8.45
Equal Total Receipts-----	\$ 2,578.71

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FINAL STATEMENT 1936

Account	Bal. Unexp. 1935	1936 State Receipts	1936 Other Receipts	1936 Town Appro.	1936 Total Receipts	1936 Expen- ditures	1936 Balance
					\$	\$	
1. C. S. Wages-----						48,601.86	
2. H. S. Wages-----						29,850.74	
3. Fuel -----						3,793.72	
						4,184.72	
4. C. S. Jan.						3,794.49	
5. H. S. Jan. State Fund..\$		\$14,275.81	\$1,276.68	Con't Mill		5,595.75	
		294.85	2,067.00	Tuition		2,846.23	
6. Convey. Agri.-----		2,165.32	175.80	Int. on note		4,312.42	
7. Textbooks McManus----			607.31	Incidental			
8. Supplies -----							
9. School Fund-----	148.73	16,735.98	4,126.79	82,000.00	103,011.50	102,979.93	31.57
10. Repairs -----			241.37	2,000.00	2,241.37	2,236.81	4.56
11. Miscellaneous -----			14.45	4,200.00	4,214.45	4,213.05	1.40
12. Light & Water-----				2,700.00	2,700.00	2,681.97	18.03
13. Insurance -----			517.87	1,800.00	2,317.87	2,304.26	13.61
14. Home Ec.-----	3.24	671.73		700.00	1,374.97	1,340.98	33.99
15. Man. Tr.-----	23.66	1942.64	29.51	1,500.00	2,495.81	2,456.39	39.42
16. Even. Sch.-----	187.52	1,493.99	97.20	800.00	2,578.71	2,570.26	8.45
17. Totals -----	\$363.15	\$19,844.34	\$5,027.19	\$95,700.00	\$120,934.68	\$120,783.65	151.03

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE
AND SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have the honor to submit herewith for your consideration our annual report of the schools of the town of Rumford.

The school census taken April 1, 1936, was 3764; 1911 boys and 1853 girls. This shows a decrease of thirty-three under that of the preceding year. While we have lost from fifty to seventy-five pupils on account of families moving elsewhere, their places have been filled to a large extent by families moving in town.

A NEW SCHOOL FINANCE BILL

The citizens of Rumford are interested at this time in a new finance bill which is being proposed by the Maine Teachers' Association for action before the next Legislature. The bill stresses greater participation on the part of the state in financing educational activities. The essential features are as follows:

1. The establishment of a minimum expenditure per unit of instruction (one full-time teacher, elementary, secondary or special) of \$783. One-half this amount to be paid by the State.

2. Reimbursement by the State of one-half the cost of transportation or board of pupils, both elementary and secondary, said cost not to exceed \$30 per year per pupil for transportation, or \$150 per year per pupil for board.

3. Reimbursement to towns paying secondary tuition to the amount of two-thirds the legal tuition rates paid (no \$700 limit as at present).

This bill makes possible the maintenance of a higher standard of education in every municipality within the state, at a reduction in local appropriations which will give an appreciable reduction in property taxes. Should this bill receive favorable consideration by the Legislature this winter, the town of Rumford will benefit to the extent of over \$9,000.

RURAL SCHOOLS

Within the last few years the Red Hill, the South Rumford and the North Rumford one-room rural schools have been closed. In each case the reason has been that the attendance in these districts has fallen below the required number

of eight pupils. This has necessarily made an increase in conveyance routes, but on the whole has resulted in a saving, financially, to the town.

At present there are eleven conveyances engaged in transporting pupils. In two instances, the board of school children is being paid from the transportation fund, in lieu of transportation.

NOON LUNCHES

At each school center where there is transportation, noon lunches are being served under the auspices of the W. P. A. This federal agency is furnishing, free of cost, the services of eight ladies for the full school day. The cost of the food is borne equally by the W. P. A. and local contributions. This service is much appreciated.

NURSERY SCHOOL

At present the limitations of federal aid allow us but one nursery school. This is located in the Bisbee building. Thirty needy children between the ages of 2½ and 5 years are enjoying its privileges. A nurse is in attendance, as well as a cook, a principal and an assistant teacher.

EVENING SCHOOL

The attendance at our long-established evening school has gradually grown smaller. Ten years ago it was customary to have at least three hundred in attendance each evening, while at present there are approximately one hundred. Apparently the need of adults for an opportunity to learn to speak, read and write English has gone. The need and demand at present seems to be for the opportunity to study vocational branches. A class of fourteen young men is working two nights a week at Britton's garage, under the tutelage of a competent instructor. During the fall term a class was maintained at the Chisholm School in Manual Training. Several classes in elementary subjects have been dropped recently because of a lack of attendance. A class in agriculture was started this fall but did not maintain a suitable average. Most interest at the present time centers about classes in sewing. An average of fifty pupils attends the sewing classes at Stephens High School, with an extension class of about twenty held at the Woodrow School. There are seventy-two pupils in constant attendance at the shorthand, typewriting and bookkeeping classes. We feel that the classes that are well attended

should be continued, while others that show a lack of interest should be dropped.

The same condition which exists here is prevalent throughout the state. At one time there were many evening schools, while at present but four are in existence outside our own town.

We feel that these classes offer a wonderful opportunity to many adults, especially in trades and vocational lines, and that it would be a mistake to do away entirely with such an efficient service, particularly as the State and Federal Governments bear a large part of the expense for the evening school classes.

FINANCES

The State Report for 1936 shows that the average school rate in the whole state is .01171, which is exactly that of Rumford. Also, that the average municipal rate is .05535, while that of Rumford is .051. Our per capita cost in the high school is the lowest (\$51) of all Maine high schools that have an enrollment of 500 pupils or over. These per capita costs in some instances are \$78 to \$90. The low per capita cost in Rumford is due to the fact that each teacher has a large enrollment in his classes. At present, the schools receive but 26 per cent of the total tax commitment.

TEXTBOOKS AND SUPPLIES

An examination of the amounts appropriated and expended for textbooks and supplies for the last ten years shows that for the last few years there has been insufficient money appropriated and expended for both these items. The textbooks, particularly, are badly worn and many need to be replaced. It is generally considered that the life of a textbook is only three years. We have, however, many in constant use that were purchased over ten years ago. We hope for a larger appropriation to remedy this condition.

ATHLETIC FIELD

For many years the need for a permanent athletic field for school sports has been evident to the school authorities. Several locations have been suggested only to be discarded for sufficient reasons. We are pleased, however, that through the cooperation of the Rumford Falls Power Company and the Oxford Paper Company, we are now assured of the permanent use of the old athletic field on Lincoln Avenue. We

hope that with the help of all intersted that improvements will be gradually made in this field, so that the athletic needs of the entire community will be well served.

TEACHING FORCE

For the last few years there have been comparatively few changes in our corps of teachers. Local girls who desired to teach have found positions, either locally or in other towns in the state. With the increase in general prosperity we predict that within a few years there will be a scarcity of competent candidates for teaching positions.

Respectfully submitted,

STUART F. MARTIN,
Chairman,
ENA C. CARRIER
JAMES W. HARRIS
School Committee
L. E. WILLIAMS
Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF THE HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Mr. L. E. Williams,
Superintendent of Schools,
Rumford, Maine.

Dear Sir:

It is my pleasure to submit my report as Principal of Stephens High School for the year 1935-1936. This report serves two purposes: an opportunity to acquaint the parents and citizens regarding school and just what we are doing, and to serve as a permanent record.

The personnel of the faculty is the same as last year with one exception. John Philip Dolan, A. B., Colby College, 1936, took the place of Thomas Maynard, who received an excellent position in Massachusetts. Mr. Dolan was graduated from Portland High School in 1930 and Coburn Classical in 1932. After graduating from Coburn, he went to Colby College in Waterville. While in college he took an active part in athletics and won his letter in track. He represented the college in intercollegiate debating and glee club and was a member of several clubs. His major subject was Latin. At Stephens High School he is teaching Junior and Senior English and is coaching track and dramatics.

The following is a list of the teachers and the activities they sponsor or coach:

Mr. George E. Lord, Prin., Algebra, Journalism, Sponsor of Student Council, Sponsor of the Broadcast.

Mr. Bertram Faulkingham, Civics, Chemistry, Sponsor of Boys' "R" Club, Coach of "B" Squad Basketball.

Miss Julia Murphy, Latin, Soc. Prob., Dean of Girls, Latin Club Sponsor.

Mrs. Minerva Anderson, Gen. Sci., Physics, Sponsor of Library Club, Science Club

Mr. Levi Durepo, Civics, Bus. Tr., Faculty Manager of Athletics.

Mrs. Ruth Burgess, Mod. History, Early History.

Miss Dorothea Allen, Short., Type., Sponsor of Soph Class

Mr. Raymond Baum, Bkpg., Off. Pr., Law, Bus. Adm., Senior Class Sponsor, Coach of Baseball.

Mr. John Ross, Algebra, Rev. Math., Pl. Geom., Sol. Geom. & Trig., Sponsor of Junior Class

Mr. Basil Dwyer, Hist., Eng., Basketball and Football Coach.

Mr. Howard Keyo, English, Coach of Winter Sports.

Miss Frances Martin, English II.

Miss Lucia Cormier, French, Debating Coach, Sponsor French Club.

Mr. John Dolan, English, Coach of Dramatics and Track.

Mr. Harry Brown, Biology, Agric., Sponsor of Agric. Club.

Miss Lenora Dow, Home Economics, Grade Schools.

Mr. Dorr Woodward, Ind. Arts, Man. Tr., Grade Schools

Miss Louise Cone, Com'l Geog., Eng. III, Lit. Spelling, Sponsor Girls' "R" Club, Prize Speaking, Sponsor Freshman Class.

Miss Annah Farnum, Arithmetic, Physiology.

Miss Bessie Higgins, Grammar, Literature, Spelling.

Miss Kathleen Poland, Physiology, History.

Mrs. Ida Sweatt, Vocal Instructor

Mr. Harry Cohen, Instrumental Instructor.

CLASS OF 1936

This is the largest class to graduate from Stephens High School.

COLLEGE COURSE

Breton, Leon	Jackson, Floyd
Cohen, Milton	Jones, Clarence
Dennis, Elmer	Mann, James
Derry, John	Mercier, Woodrow
Evans, Harold	Rafuse, Margaret
Falarneau, Antoinette	Schraub, Charles
Greenman, Leon	

COMMERCIAL COURSE

Anderson, Carla	LaBrecque, Gertrude
Austin, Vivian	Langevin, Theresa
Campbell, Annie	Learned, Eleanor
Delisle, Geraldine	Legere, Annette
Dorion, Julianne	Souuble, Mary
Gaudet, Bernice	Stisulis, Anne
Jensen, Alice	Twitchell, Joyce
Kelly, Ruth	

GENERAL COURSE

Abbott, Alberta	Carey, Teresa
Abbott, Dorothy	Carreau, Charles
Ahearn, Marion	Cerri, Lawrence
Anastasio, Andrew	Chisholm, Lauretta
Arsenault, Denys	Clark, Angus
Auby, Marjorie	Clark, Bernice
Austin, Lillian	Clifford, Philip
Bailey, Frank	Crawford, Marjorie
Barry, Leo	Davis, Kathryn
Barry, Margaret	Deanis, Joseph
Belanger, Rina	DeMonte, Elizabeth
Bernard, Lurette	Denholm, James
Bernier, Evangeline	Dolloff, Mary
Breau, Arthur	Dorion, Marie
Bredeau, Catherine	Dunton, Virginia
Breton, Alphy	Elliott, Dorothy
Broomhall, Charles	Farrell, Joseph
Broomhall, William	Fabyan, Mary Ann
Brown, Velma	Fioroni, John
Buck, Earle	FitzGerald, Geraldine
Bujold, Alfred	Fournier, Eric
Bulger, Bernard	Gaccetta, Anne
Bulger, Chester	Gagnon, Lena
Bushley, William	Gallant, Lena

Giberson, Claude	Orino, Arthur
Gironda, Ann	Palermino, Frank
Gubis, Charles	Paterson, James
Halacy, Teresa	Peare, Doris
Hillman, Guy	Perry, Joseph
Holman, Clayton	Perry, Mary
Holman, Raymond	Phillips, Marjorie
Houde, Thersea	Plante, Remi
Jeglinski, Irene	Politis, Anthony
Kawlaiche, John	Puiia, Tony
Kimball, Marion	Rawlins, Joseph
Knight, Lawrence	Richards, Joseph
LaBrecque, Alton	Rocykoski, Annie
LaBrie, Roland	Sadowska, Alexandria
Lacroix, Aurore	Sciaraffa, Tony
Loisel, Jean	Sessions, Bertha
Lowell, Roxie	Small, Eleanor
Lyon, Henry	Smith, Alice
MacBean, Raymond	Stetson, Winnifred
MacDonald, Charles	Tardif, Louise
MacDonald, Mary	Tate, Nofio
Macul, Irene	Theriault, Gerald
Marino, Annie	Trenoweth, Eleanor
Marino, Mary	Wagnis, Stanley
Mayo, Alyre	Waznis, Josephine
McQuade, Harold	Walker, Webster
Mickus, Joseph	Welch, Eva
Mickus, Peter	Wiken, Russell
Milligan, Harold	Wilbur, Dorothy
Mitchell, Sophie	Wilson, Stanley
Morrison, Rita	Woods, Clyde
Muskie, Eugene	Woods, Cora
Muzroll, Lawrence	Yanush, John
Newell, Betty	Ziko, Edward

COOPERATIVE METHOD OF RANKING

This year we have introduced a cooperative method of ranking. On one card the pupils with the advice of the teachers, rank themselves on Health and Citizenship. Each student is first given an opportunity to mark himself, in pencil, and then, if the teacher disagrees with him, she meets him in personal conference and arrives at a mutual agreement as to his final mark. This is then entered in ink. Health covers General Appearance, Play and Physical Exercises. Citizenship

covers Reliability, Self-control, Courtesy, Co-operation and Industry.

The second card is the report on Scholarship, Attitude and Conduct. This card is a direct report from the faculty.

NEW COURSES

This year we submitted our course of study to many colleges, out of state school organizations, and state departments. In practically every case we find that it meets the approval of all. Therefore, the course of study is practically the same as it has been for the last four years. We have made a few changes in Senior subjects and introduced a Social Problems class and a new set-up in the Senior Review. The Social Problems Class is a course devised for Seniors who plan to enter upon their life work directly after graduation. This year it covers the following units: History of Maine, History of Rumford, Current History, Vocational Guidance, Career Planning and Character Education.

In the Senior Review, to meet the requirements of several colleges, we have emphasized an extensive review in Algebra with a general review of other mathematics.

Two courses have been introduced: one in voice under the instruction of Mrs. Sweatt, and an instrumental course supervised by Mr. Cohen. The course under Mr. Cohen is paid for by the National Youth Administration.

REGISTRATION

1936

Seniors	Girls	-----	62
	Boys	-----	50
Juniors	Girls	-----	66
	Boys	-----	67
Sophomores:	Girls	-----	101
	Boys	-----	91
Freshmen	Girls	-----	98
	Boys	-----	103
Total for Senior High-----			638
Junior High	Girls	-----	69
	Boys	-----	82
Total for Junior High-----			151

REGISTRATION FOR THE LAST TEN YEARS

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

(Does not include Junior High Registration)

September, 1927	425
September, 1928	443
September, 1929	470
September, 1930	468
September, 1931	499
September, 1932	562
September, 1933	581
September, 1934	616
September, 1935	645
September, 1936	638

ATTENDANCE

The attendance average, for the first term of the year, 1932.

SCHOOL ACTIVITY RECORD

The town of Rumford is without a doubt proud of its high school's achievements. During the last three years, the athletic teams have won one state championship in Basketball and one runner-up position in Basketball; two state championships in Winter Sports and one national championship in Winter Sports; one state championship in Baseball and one first place in the Sun-Journal League Championship in Baseball; two state championships in Track and our Football team has maintained a high average competing favorably with the larger schools in the state. In Debating our teams have won the majority of the contests and last year won the Bangor Conference Debating Cup. This year they are entering four teams in the Portland Conference Debates and are also entered in the Bates League. In Dramatics we have won two second places in the Maine One-Act Play Contests and one state championship.

Students fully credited and certified by the high school have made excellent records upon entering college. There are four students who entered this year at the University of Maine, one at Bowdoin, one at Rensselaer and one at Bates. These students had full credit and were certified from

Stephens High School. They are at the present time receiving eighty per cent honor grades and doing creditable work in other subjects. Several others have entered Normal Schools and Business Colleges. They are doing creditable work.

WE WOULD LIKE

To change our program to the revolving schedule with longer class periods and a longer activity period. This activity period would be to take care of music, debating, club activities and assemblies in such a way so that they would not interfere with the regular classes. This schedule would not increase the length of the school day but would increase the length of the periods, thus eliminating much of the home study. This cannot be carried out at present as it would interfere with the Home Economics and Woodworking in the grades conducted by Miss Dow and Mr. Woodward.

To eliminate the auditorium as a study hall. This cannot be carried out until there is more room or more teachers.

To make several other curriculum changes to benefit the Senior preparation.

We recognize and know these changes would greatly increase our efficiency but as it is we have a happy and cooperative faculty and student body. We greatly appreciate our fine equipment and are proud of our record.

IN CONCLUSION

The parents and citizens of the town are always cordially invited to visit the school. In so doing, they will obtain a better understanding by conferences with the teachers. We especially wish to invite the citizens and parents to our evening session which will be held this spring. At that time we plan to have an organized exhibition besides the regular curriculum work. This exhibition will be held in the gymnasium. There will be a display of work that is carried on in the school which in no other way could be seen, particularly in the science courses.

We wish to thank the parents and citizens of Rumford, the members of the School Board and the Superintendent of Schools for their excellent cooperation and support. It is appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. LORD.

COMMON SCHOOL STATISTICS

Year ending June, 1936

JUNIOR HIGH			
No. of Weeks	Grade	Teacher	No. of Pupils
36	VIII	Bessie E. Higgins	178
36	VIII	Annah O. Farnum	178
36	VIII	Kathleen V. Poland	178
36	VIII	A. Louise Cone	178
PETTENGILL SCHOOL			
36	VII	Clara L. Jackson (Dept.)	40
36	VI	Marguerite H. Clancey (Dept.)	38
36	V	Edna B. Bean (Dept.)	29
36	IV	Thelma Blackmore (Dept.)	39
36	III-II	Marion Sessions	39
36	II-I	Lillian I. Libby	33
36	Primary	Elizabeth Beeaker	30
CHISHOLM SCHOOL			
36	VII	Clare E. Griffith (Dept.)	33
36	VI	Lucy A. Burr (Dept.)	27
36	V	Theresa McGee (Dept.)	42
36	IV	Mary Jane Fortier (Dept.)	25
36	III	Elinor A. Shea	28
36	II	Elizabeth Boothby	29
36	I	Sarah M. Griffith	23
36	Primary	Rose Matthieu	31
VIRGINIA SCHOOL			
36	VII	Doris L. Locke (Dept.)	41
36	VI	Rose Chase (Dept.)	40
36	V	Gertrude B. Watson (Dept.)	38
36	IV	Madeline T. Durepo (Dept.)	41
36	III	Leona Roderick	37
36	II	Florence Howe	40
36	I	Virginia S. Davis	37
36	Primary	Hope D. Williams	41
BISBEE SCHOOL			
36	VII	Irene Hanson (Dept.)	29
36	VI	Alice J. Hopkins (Dept.)	36
36	V	Ethel N. Cole (Dept.)	31
36	IV	Anne F. Hopkins (Dept.)	33
36	III	Margaret L. Bushley	26
36	II-I	Eleanor Fortier	42
36	Primary	A. Beryl Scott	33

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MACDONALD SCHOOL

36	VI-VII	Irene H. Perry	29
36	IV-V	Margaret McInnis	25
36	II-III	Anne E. Keweza	32
36	Primary-I	Hazel Chamberlin	31

KIMBALL SCHOOL

36	High School	Harold E. Rowell	15
36	Gram. School	Helen Thurston	21
36	Primary sch.	Louise Elliot	22

WOODROW SCHOOL

36	Gram. gds.	Letha Taylor	30
36	Primary gds.	Susan McInnis	26

RUMFORD CENTER SCHOOL

36	Gram. gds.	Grace Welch	16
36	Primary gds.	Mildred Gallant	13

NORTH RUMFORD SCHOOL

36	Rural	Anne Shields	13
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WARRANTS, RECORDS
PETITIONS



TOWN OF RUMFORD
1936

RECORD OF ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Rumford, Maine, February 3rd, 1936.

In accordance with the foregoing warrant, the Town clerk Amy B. Lyon called the meeting to order in the Town Hall in the Municipal Building in said Town, on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1936, at nine o'clock in the forenoon. By motion made and seconded, the entire reading of the warrant was dispensed with.

Article 1st. By motion duly made and seconded, B. F. Jose was instructed to cast one ballot for Albert Beliveau for Moderator. This being done, and there being no other ballots cast for Moderator, Albert Beliveau was chosen Moderator, and was given the oath of office by the Town Clerk.

Article 2nd. By motion made and seconded, it was voted to suspend action on this article until the remaining articles in the warrant had been acted upon, at the conclusion of which voting on elective officers would begin, using the Australian ballot, and so continue until six o'clock in the afternoon, when the polls would close.

Article 3rd. On motion made and seconded, it was voted that the salary of the Town Clerk be fixed at one thousand (\$1,000) dollars for the year 1936, and that the salaries of the other officers enumerated be the same as paid in the year 1935.

Article 4th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted that the rate precent for the collection of taxes be the same as paid in the year 1935 (5% on poll taxes, and 7.8 of 1 per cent less 10% on real estate).

Article 5th. On motion made and seconded, William F. Cyr was elected Town Constable for the Town of Rumford for the ensuing year.

Article 6th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted that interest at the rate of six per cent per annum be charged on all taxes remaining unpaid after October 1st, 1936.

Article 7th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to accept the Annual Report of the Municipal Officers for the year ending December 31st, 1935.

Article 8th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to hire such sums of money as may be necessary to pay Town Charges and Town Debts, in anticipation of the collection of taxes, and to issue and negotiate the notes of the Town for the money so borrowed, to an amount not exceeding

in the aggregate the total tax levy for the preceding Municipal Year, as temporary loans to be paid during the year 1936 out of money raised during said year 1936 by taxes.

Article 9th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to pay or renew any note of the Town, given in the year 1936, in anticipation of taxes, or by the issuance of a new note or notes, to be paid before December 31, 1936, out of money raised during said year 1936 by taxes.

Article 10th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Eighty-two thousand (\$82,000) Dollars for a School Fund, said School Fund to include funds for the High School, Common School, Fuel, Text-books and Supplies for the Year 1936, which sum shall include the Twelve thousand (\$12,000) dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held January 3rd, 1936.

Article 11th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Two thousand (\$2,000) Dollars for the purpose of making necessary repairs to the school houses for the year 1936.

Article 12th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Eighteen hundred (\$1,800) Dollars for School Insurance for the year 1936.

Article 13th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Four thousand two hundred (\$4,200) Dollars for school miscellaneous for the year 1936.

Article 14th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Eight hundred (\$800) Dollars for Evening School for the year 1936.

Article 15th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Two thousand, seven hundred (\$2,700) Dollars for School Lights and Water for the year 1936.

Article 16th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Seven hundred (\$700) Dollars for instruction in Home Economics for the year 1936.

Article 17th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Fifteen

hundred (\$1,500) Dollars for instruction in Manual Training for the year 1936.

Article 18th. Passed over. (Improvement of sidewalk on Prospect Ave., from easterly junction of Crescent Ave. and Prospect Ave., to Linnell St.)

Article 19th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Three thousand (\$3,000) Dollars for Abatement of Taxes for the year 1936.

Article 20th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of One hundred fifty (\$150) Dollars to assist the local Militia Company for the year 1936.

Article 21st. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Three hundred (\$300) Dollars to be given to the Chisholm Ski Club to maintain the Skating Rink, Sled and Ski Jump for the year 1936.

Article 22nd. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Seventy-five (\$75) Dollars for the observance of Memorial Day to be expended under the direction of Osgood Eaton Relief Corps; and also the sum of Seventy-five (\$75) Dollars for the observance of Armistice Day, said money to be expended under the direction of the Napoleon Ouellette Post of the American Legion.

Article 23rd. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Three thousand (\$3,000) Dollars for Town Insurance for the year 1936, this sum to include a policy for compensation insurance.

Article 24th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted that the sum of Seven thousand (\$7,000) Dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting of January 3rd, 1936, for miscellaneous expenses for the year 1936, be raised by taxation.

Article 25th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Two thousand five hundred (\$2,500) Dollars for Office Supplies and Officers' Expenses for the year 1936.

Article 26th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Five thousand five hundred (\$5,500) dollars for operation and maintenance of the Municipal Building for the year 1936.

Article 27th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to defer action on this article until the remainder of the articles had been acted upon, to allow time for information to be secured regarding salary to be paid each individual Town Officer.

Article 28th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation, for the repair of Roads and Bridges for the year 1936, the sum of Twelve thousand (\$12,000) Dollars which shall include the sum of Three thousand (\$3,000) Dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held January 3rd, 1936.

Article 29th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Eight thousand (\$8,000) Dollars for the Winter maintenance of roads for the year 1936.

Article 30th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to use from the Equipment Reserve Account on deposit in the Rumford National Bank, a sum not exceeding Six hundred (\$600) Dollars for the purchase of a pick-up truck for the use of the Road Department.

Article 31st. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Five thousand (\$5,000) Dollars for Tarvia for the year 1936.

Article 32nd. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted "Yes" on the question of appropriating and raising money necessary to entitle the Town to State Aid, as provided in Section 20, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930.

Article 33rd. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of One thousand eight hundred sixty-five (\$1,865) Dollars in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 34, Section 27, Revised Statutes of 1930, for the construction of a State Aid Road, leading easterly from Andover Village through Roxbury Notch, so-called, in the Town of Roxbury; thence through the towns of Roxbury, Mexico and Rumford on the west side of the Swift River; thence through the compact section of Rumford and over route 120, thus connecting with Route No. 26, at Bryant Pond, for the year 1936.

Article 34th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of One thousand three hundred thirty-five (\$1,335) Dollars for the improvement of the section of State Road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and

bridges) under the provisions of Section 9, Chapter 175, Public Laws of 1933.

Article 35th. On motion made and seconded the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Five hundred forty (\$540) Dollars for the Patrol of the State Aid Highway for the year 1936, as required by law, Section 28, of the Revised Statutes of 1930.

Article 36th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Eight hundred fifty-two and 73/100 (\$852.73) Dollars for the Maintenance of the Third Class road for the year 1936, as required by law, Section 46, Chapter 28, of the Revised Statutes of 1930.

Article 37th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Five thousand (\$5,000) Dollars for the purchase of materials to be used on WPA projects in 1936, said sum to include Three hundred (\$300) Dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held January 3rd, 1936, and further voted that the Four thousand (\$4,000) Dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held September 9, 1935, be raised by taxation.

Article 38th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Four thousand five hundred (\$4,500) Dollars for Mother's Aid, for the year 1936, which shall include the sum of One thousand (\$1,000) Dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held January 3, 1936.

Article 39th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Twenty-five hundred (\$2,500) Dollars to be paid to the Rumford Community Hospital for hospital care of Town Poor for the year 1936, which sum shall include the sum of Three hundred fifty (\$350) Dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held January 3rd, 1936.

Article 40th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of forty-five thousand (\$45,000) Dollars for the Support of Town Poor for the year 1936, which shall include the sum of Four thousand (\$4,000) Dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held January 3rd, 1936.

Article 41st. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Four thousand, two hundred fifty (\$4,250) Dollars for the support of the Rumford Public Library for the year 1936, which shall

include the sum of Eight hundred fifty (\$850) Dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held January 3rd, 1936.

Article 42nd. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Sixteen thousand, two hundred (\$16,200) Dollars to pay interest on Town Debt for the year 1936, which shall include the sum of One thousand (\$1,000) Dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held January 3rd, 1936.

Article 43rd. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Twenty-eight thousand six hundred thirty-five and 62/100 (\$28,635.62) Dollars to take care of the 1935 net over drafts, which shall include the sum of Twenty thousand (\$20,000) Dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held January 3rd, 1936.

Article 44th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted, after reconsideration, to pass over this Article.

Article 45th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Three Hundred (\$300) Dollars to purchase Fire hose for the Rumford Point Fire Protection Association.

Article 46th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to adopt the By-law regarding the peddling and hawking of wares and merchandise, as outlined in the article.

Article 47th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to accept the bequest of Two hundred (\$200) Dollars from Lucretia Elliott, for the care of Elliot-Elliott lot at Rumford Point.

Article 48th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Two hundred fourteen and 22/100 (\$214.22) Dollars to reimburse the Strand Theatre for damages to their building, caused by blasting Portland Street.

Article 49th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation a sum not to exceed Five hundred fifty (\$550) Dollars to install a Condensate Pump on the heating system in the Municipal Building.

Article 50th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Two thousand (\$2,000) Dollars, 1st payment on Equipment Bond issued November 1st, 1935, and that the further sum of Twenty-two thousand (\$22,000) Dollars be appropriated and raised by loan for the purpose of refunding the other indebtedness of the Town specified in this Article and maturing

during the year 1936; and that the Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized, with the approval of the Selectmen, to issue and negotiate a series of notes or bonds of the Town in the sum of Twenty-two thousand (\$22,000) Dollars, terms and conditions of said notes or bonds to be determined by the Selectmen.

Article 51st. Referring to the Special Town Meeting held November 30, 1934, at which a sum not exceeding Twenty-two thousand five hundred (\$22,500) Dollars was authorized to pay the Town's share of the cost of reconstruction of Morse Bridge—on motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Five thousand (\$5,000) Dollars to pay the Morse Bridge note authorized in 1935, and that the further sum of Seventeen thousand, five hundred (\$17,500) Dollars be appropriated and raised by loan for the purpose of paying the town's share of the cost of the Morse Bridge; and that the Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized, with the approval of the Selectmen, to issue and negotiate a series of notes or bonds of the Town, in the sum of Seventeen thousand, five hundred (\$17,500) Dollars terms and conditions of said note or bonds to be determined by the Selectmen.

Article 52nd. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Fifty (\$50) Dollars for the local "Roosevelt Foundation" for the prevention and cure of Infantile Paralysis for the year 1936.

Article 53rd. Passed over. (Linoleum on offices in Municipal Building).

All articles being passed on, the Town voted to reconsider action on Article 27th. Article 27th. On motion made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of Nineteen thousand, seven hundred (\$19,700) Dollars for salaries of Town Officers for the year 1936, which shall include the sum of Fifteen hundred (\$1,500) Dollars appropriated at the Special Town Meeting held January 3rd, 1936.

By order of the Moderator, the polls were open for balloting on elective officers at 10.10 A. M. and continued until six o'clock P. M. when the polls were closed, the ballots sorted and counted in open meeting and results declared by the Moderator as follows: Total vote cast, 1,300. For Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor, Frank M. Taylor had 703 votes and Hector A. Roderick had 693 votes and these two were elected for a term of three years; John A. Rubino had 672 votes and Clarence Abbott had 664 votes and these were elected for a

term of two years; and Leslie A. White, a candidate outside the Corporation limits had 601 votes and was elected for a term of one year. Those defeated for office were Robert Clunie who had 597 votes, Joseph I. Dorion who had 552 votes, John J. Koris who had 445 and Walter M. Holman who had 428 votes, for Assessors Joseph E. Arsenault had 940 votes, James A. McMennamin 936 votes and William A. Bartlett, the candidate outside the Corporation limits, had 921 votes and Joseph E. Arsenault was elected for a term of three years, James A. McMennamin for a term of two years, and William A. Bartlett for a term of one year. The remaining candidates were unopposed for office: Amy B. Lyon for Town Clerk had 1,028 votes; William F. Cyr, for Tax Collector had 1,025 votes; Amy B. Lyon for Treasurer had 1,028 votes and James W. Harris for Member of School Committee had 1,009 votes. The Moderator gave the oath of office to all the newly elected officers present, and by motion made and seconded, the meeting adjourned at 9:15 P. M.

A true record, Attest:

AMY B. LYON,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

STATE OF MAINE.

COUNTY OF OXFORD, SS:

To William F. Cyr, Constable of the Town of Rumford, in said County.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the said Town of Rumford, qualified by law to vote in Town Affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall in the Municipal Building, in said Town, on the twenty-ninth day of May A. D. 1936, at nine o'clock (Standard Time) in the forenoon to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1st. To choose a moderator to preside over said meeting.

Art. 2nd. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise the sum of Seven Thousand One Hundred Dollars to pay for expenditures for Washouts caused by the March Floods, and to see how the same shall be raised.

Art. 3rd. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise the sum of Eight Thousand Dollars to pay for Bridge Rehabilitation etc. necessitated by the March Floods, and to see how the same shall be raised.

Art. 4th. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1500. by taxation to repair the fence and stand at the Old Ball Grounds.

Art 5th. To see if the Town will vote to accept a bequest under the will of Flora L. Patch of \$100.00 as a Trust Fund for the care of the Cemetery on the East Side of the Ellis River.

Art. 6th. To see if the Town will vote to accept a bequest under the will of Ella E. Buzzell of \$100.00 as a Trust Fund for the care of her Cemetery Lot in the East Rumford Cemetery.

Art. 7th. To see if the town will vote to appropriate and raise the sum of seven hundred dollars, to be paid over to the local Militia Company, for payment of various obligations incurred during the flood period, and for renovating and replacement of personal equipment.

Given under our hands this 20th day of May A. D. 1936.

FRANK M. TAYLOR

H. A. RODERICK

JOHN A. RUBINO

CLARENCE ABBOTT

LESLIE A. WHITE

WILLIAM F. CYR,

Constable of the

Town of Rumford.

Rumford, Maine, May 28th, 1936.

Pursuant to the within warrant to me directed, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the said Town of Rumford, qualified as therein expressed, to assemble at the time and place for the purpose therein mentioned by posting attested copies of the within warrant; one at the Post Office, Rumford Center, Maine; one at the Post Office, Rumford Point, Maine; one in the Municipal Building, Rumford, Maine; and one in front of the Municipal Building, Rumford, Maine; being public and conspicuous places in said Town on the twenty-first day of May A. D. 1936, being at least seven days before said meeting.

And I also caused an attested copy of the within warrant to be published in the Rumford Falls Times, a paper printed

in said Town of Rumford, in its issues dated May 21st and May 28th, 1936.

WILLIAM F. CYR,
Constable of the
Town of Rumford.

RECORD OF SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Rumford, Maine, May 29, 1936.

According to the above warrant, the meeting was called to order by the Town Clerk in the Town Hall in the Municipal Building in said Town on the twenty-ninth day of May, A. D. 1936, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and by motion made and seconded, the entire reading of the warrant was dispensed with.

Article 1st. On motion made and seconded, F. O. Eaton was chosen Moderator to preside over said meeting, and was given the oath of office by the Town Clerk.

Article 2nd. On motion duly made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise the sum of Seven thousand one hundred (\$7,100) Dollars by loan now, and to be included in the assessment of 1937, for expenditures for Washouts caused by March Floods.

Article 3rd. On motion duly made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise the sum of Eight Thousand (\$8,000) Dollars by loan now, and to be included in the assessment of 1937, to pay for Bridge Rehabilitation etc., necessitated by the March Floods.

Article 4th. Passed over.

Article 5th. By motion duly made and seconded, the Town voted to accept the bequest of One hundred (\$100) Dollars as a Trust Fund, under the will of Flora L. Patch, for the care of the cemetery on the east side of the Ellis River.

Article 6th. By motion duly made and seconded, the Town voted to accept the bequest of One hundred (\$100) Dollars as a Trust Fund under the will of Ella E. Buzzell, for the care of her Cemetery lot in the East Rumford Cemetery.

Article 7th. Passed over.

All articles in the warrant having been acted upon, the Town voted to adjourn at 9:25 A. M.

A true record, Attest:

AMY B. LYON,
Town Clerk.

PETITION TO LAY OUT TOWN WAY

To the Selectmen of the Town of Rumford in the County of Oxford State of Maine.

The undersigned Inhabitants of Rumford Falls Village in the Town of Rumford most respectfully represent that the following described Town Way, proposed to be located in Rumford, would be a great public convenience for the use of said Town.

Wherefore your petitioners pray that the same may be laid out by your Honorable Board in the manner provided by Law:

Luxton Avenue: Beginning at a point, about 295 feet northerly from the intersection of the north side of Linnell Street and the East side line of Forest Avenue, at the intersection of the east side line of Forest Avenue and the north side line of Lot numbered 114 on Forest Avenue; thence Easterly along the north side line of said lot Numbered 114 about 175 feet to the westerly side line of Lot Numbered 8 on Luxton Avenue; thence northerly about 740 feet along the Westerly side line of Lots Numbered 8, 9, 110, 109, 108, 107, 106, 105, 104, 103, 102, 6, 7, 8, and 9 on Luxton Ave., to the southerly side line of Kerr Street. The right of way to be 30 feet wide, said width to be northerly of said Lot Numbered 114 and Westerly of said Lots Numbered 8, 9, 110, 109, 108, 107, 106, 105, 104, 103, 102, 6, 7, 8 and 9.

Dated at Rumford this 1st day of September 1936.

Thomas H. Egan, Rumford, Me.
Theodore R. Davis, Rumford, Me.
R. H. Eastman, Rumford, Me.
N. R. Griffin, Rumford, Me.
Everett Langevin, Rumford, Me.
Chas. W. Abbott, Rumford, Me.
John Waite, Rumford, Me.
John A. Brown, Rumford, Me.
Josephine McArthur, Rumford, Me.
S. C. Luxton, Rumford, Me.

James H. Kerr, Rumford, Me.
Chas. D. Howard, Rumford, Me.
Robert L. Howard, Rumford, Me.
Geo. W. Jewell, Rumford, Me.
Virgil F. Abbott, Rumford, Me.
John Paul Langevin, Rumford, Me.
Charles J. Bishop, Rumford, Me.
Joseph I. Spoffard, Rumford, Me.
Henry Blouin, Rumford, Me.

RECORD OF HEARING

STATE OF MAINE.

Rumford, Maine, Sept. 9, 1936.

OXFORD SS:

Upon the foregoing petition of Thomas H. Egan and others, for the location of certain town ways in the Town of Rumford described in said petition, the undersigned Municipal Officers of Rumford gave written notice of their intention to lay out said ways by posting such notices seven days prior to this meeting in two public and conspicuous places in the Town of Rumford.

On September 2, 1936, one notice on a tree front of Thomas H. Egan home, Luxton Avenue; one on tree opposite home of R. H. Eastman, Luxton Avenue and Forest Avenue, one on pole, Kerr Street and Luxton Avenue westerly and one on tree Luxton Avenue and Kerr street easterly. All being public and conspicuous places in the said Town of Rumford, and in the vicinity of the proposed ways.

Said notices described said proposed ways and warned all persons interested that we would meet at the Selectmen's Office in the Municipal Building in said Rumford on the ninth day of September A. D. 1936, at seven thirty o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of laying out said ways.

And now on the ninth day of September, 1936, we have met in accordance with said notices and after viewing said proposed way and hearing all parties interested we do hereby determine that common convenience or necessity require the location of such parts of the same, as are hereinafter described as town ways and we have accordingly laid out the following

described ways, there being no damages asked and no damages allowed, as town ways, in said Town of Rumford as follows:

Beginning at a point about 295 feet northerly from the intersection of the north side line of Linnell Street and the East side line of Forest Avenue at the intersection of the east side line of Forest Avenue and the north side line of Lot numbered 114 on Forest Avenue; thence Easterly along the north side line of said lot numbered 114 and about 175 feet to the westerly side line of lot numbered 8 on Luxton Avenue; thence northerly about 420 feet along the westerly side line of Lots numbered 8, 9, 110, 109, 108, 107, 106, 105. The right of way to be 30 feet wide, said width to be northerly of said lot Numbered 114 and westerly of said lots numbered 8, 9, 110, 109, 108, 107, 106, 105.

FRANK M. TAYLOR,
JOHN A. RUBINO,
CLARENCE ABBOTT,
Selectmen of Rumford.

A true record, Attest:
AMY B. LYON,
Town Clerk.

PETITION

To the Selectmen of the Town of Rumford:

We, the undersigned; resident voters and tax-payers of the Town of Rumford, hereby respectfully petition that your Honorable Board call a special town meeting to be held at the Municipal Building in Rumford on the Third day of September, 1936, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to vote on the following articles:

Article 1st. To choose a moderator for said meeting.

Article 2nd. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the Rumford Point High School, commonly known as the Kimball School.

Article 3rd. To see if the Town will vote to transport all high school pupils from the Rumford Point district to the Stephens High School.

G. L. Kimball
John C. Mitchell
E. J. Halacy
Daniel J. Halacy
Oda E. Goddard
Floyd Hart
Mrs Howard P. Thornton
Geo. W. Kimball
Herberta A. Mitchell
Harry L. Hinkley
Alvin G. Goddard
Verna A. Goddard
Avis Martel

A true copy, Attest:

AMY B. LYON,
Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

STATE OF MAINE.

COUNTY OF OXFORD, SS:

To William F. Cyr, Constable of the Town of Rumford, in said County.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the said Town of Rumford, qualified by law to vote in Town Affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall in the Municipal Building, in said Town, on the eleventh day of September, A.D. 1936, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1st. To choose a moderator to preside over said meeting.

Art. 2nd. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the Rumford Point High School, commonly known as the Kimball School.

Art. 3rd. To see if the Town will vote to transport all high school pupils from the Rumford Point district to the Stephens High School.

Art. 4th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate in addition to the amount already raised, for W.P.A. materials for the remainder of the year 1936

and to see whether the same shall be raised by loan or by taxation.

Art. 5th. To see if the Town will vote to locate and accept the following town way as laid out by the Selectmen, viz:

LUXTON AVENUE: Beginning at a point, about 295 feet northerly from the intersection of the north side line of Linnell Street and the East side line of Forest Avenue, at the intersection of the east side line of Forest Avenue and the north side line of Lot numbered 114 on Forest Avenue; thence Easterly along the north side line of said lot Numbered 114 about 175 feet to the westerly side line of Lot Numbered 8 on Luxton Avenue; thence northerly about 740 feet along the Westerly side line of Lots Numbered 8, 9, 110, 109, 108, 107, 106 and 105, 104, 103, 102, 6, 7, 8 and 9 on Luxton Avenue to the southerly side line of Kerr St. The right of way be be 30 feet wide, said width to be northerly of said Lot numbered 114 and westerly of said Lots numbered 8, 9, 110, 109, 108, 107, 106, 105, 104, 103, 102, 6, 7, 8 and 9.

Given under our hands this first day of September, A. D. 1936.

HECTOR A. RODERICK,
JOHN A. RUBINO,
CLARENCE ABBOTT,
Selectmen of Rumford.

A true copy, Attest:

WILLIAM F. CYR,

Constable of the Town of Rumford.

Rumford, Maine, Sept. 2nd, 1936.

Pursuant to the within warrant to me directed, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the said Town of Rumford, qualified as therein expressed to assemble at the time and place and for the purpose therein mentioned by posting attested copies of the within warrant: one at the Post Office, Rumford Center, Maine; one at the Post Office, Rumford Point, Maine; one in the Municipal Building, Rumford, Maine; and one in front of the Municipal Building, Rumford, Maine; being public and conspicuous places in said Town on the second day of September A. D. 1936, being at least seven days before said meeting.

And I also caused an attested copy of the within warrant to be published in the Rumford Falls Times, a paper printed in said Town of Rumford, in its issues dated September 3rd, 1936, and September 10th, 1936.

WILLIAM F. CYR,

Constable of the Town of
Rumford.

RECORD OF SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

In accordance with the foregoing warrant, the Town Clerk called the meeting to order in the Town Hall in the Municipal Building in said Town of the eleventh day of September A.D. 1936, at ten o'clock in the forenoon and read the entire warrant and return.

Article 1st. By motion duly made and seconded, Robert Clunie was chosen Moderator to preside over said meeting, and was given the oath of office by the Town Clerk.

Article 2nd. Passed over (To discontinue Rumford Point High School).

Article 3rd. Passed over (To transport all pupils to Stephens High).

Article 4th. Passed over (To determine a sum of money for WPA Projects).

Article 5th. By motion duly made and seconded, The Town voted to accept the Town way as laid out by the Selectmen with the recommendation to extend Luxton Avenue northerly 420 feet instead of 740 feet as in the petition. Thus, beginning at a point, about 295 feet northerly from the intersection of the north side line of Linnell Street and the East side line of Forest Avenue, at the intersection of the east side line of Forest Avenue and the North side line of Lot numbered 114 on Forest Avenue; thence Easterly along the north side line of said lot numbered 114 about 175 feet to the westerly side line of lot numbered 8 on Luxton Avenue; thence northerly about 420 feet along the westerly side lines of lots numbered, 8, 9, 110, 109, 108, 107, 106, and 105, 104, 103, 102, 6, 7, 8, and 9 on Luxton Avenue to the southerly side line of Kerr Street. The right of way to be 30 feet wide said width to be northerly of said Lot numbered 114 and westerly of said Lots numbered 8, 9, 110, 109, 108, 107, 106, 105,, 104, 103, 102, 6, 7, 8 and 9.

All discussion of all Articles in the warrant being completed, a motion was made and seconded to adjourn at 10:20 A. M.

A true copy attest:

AMY B. LYON,

Town Clerk.

WARRANT FOR SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

STATE OF MAINE.

COUNTY OF OXFORD, SS:

To William F. Cyr, Constable of the Town of Rumford, in said County.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the said Town of Rumford, qualified by law to vote in Town Affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall in the Municipal Building, in said Town, on the eleventh day of December, A. D. 1936, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1st. To choose a moderator to preside over said meeting.

Art. 2nd. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate and raise to build a Footbridge at or near the location formerly occupied by the Railroad Bridge between Rumford Avenue and the Maine Central Railroad Station, and to see whether the same shall be raised by loan or by taxation.

Art. 3rd. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for WPA Materials for the remainder of the year 1936, and to see whether the same shall be raised by loan or by taxation.

Given under our hands this 2nd day of December A. D. 1936.

FRANK M. TAYLOR,

JOHN A. RUBINO,

CLARENCE ABBOTT,

LESLIE A. WHITE,

Selectmen of Rumford.

A true copy, Attest:

WILLIAM F. CYR,

Constable of the Town of Rumford.

Rumford, Maine, December 8th, 1936.

Pursuant to the within warrant to me directed, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the said Town of Rumford, qualified as therein expressed to assemble at the time and place and for the purpose therein mentioned by posting attested copies of the within warrant: one at the Post Office, Rumford Center, Maine; one at the Post Office, Rumford Point, Maine; one in the Municipal Building, Rumford, Maine; and one in front of the Municipal Building, Rumford, Maine; being public and conspicuous places in said Town on the third day of December A. D. 1936, being at least seven days before said meeting.

And I also caused an attested copy of the within warrant to be published in the Rumford Falls Times, a paper printed in said Town of Rumford, in its issues dated December 3rd and December 10th, A. D. 1936.

WILLIAM F. CYR,

Constable of the Town of
Rumford.

RECORD OF SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Rumford, Maine, December 11th, 1936.

In accordance with the foregoing warrant, the Town Clerk called the meeting to order in the Town Hall in the Municipal Building in said Town on the eleventh day of December A. D. 1936 at ten o'clock in the forenoon and read the entire warrant and return.

Article 1st. By motion duly made and seconded, Peter M. MacDonald was chosen Moderator to preside over said meeting and was given the oath of office by the Town Clerk.

Article 2nd. By motion duly made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise by loan the sum of Seventeen thousand eight hundred (\$17,800.) Dollars to build a foot bridge at or near the location formerly occupied by the Railroad Bridge between Rumford Avenue and the Maine Central Railroad Station, provided the W.P.A. or some other

organization furnishes the labor, this loan to be made July 12, 1937, payable Fifteen thousand (\$15,000.) Dollars on July 12, 1947 and the balance payable on July 12, 1948, with interest on above loan at as low rate as possible.

Art. 3rd. By motion duly made and seconded, the Town voted to appropriate and raise Ten thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars for WPA Materials for the remainder of the year 1936, said amount to be raised by short term loan to mature February 10th, 1937, and discounted at the rate of 3% per annum, and said amount to be included in the 1937 tax assessment.

Discussion of all articles in the warrant being completed, the Town voted to adjourn at 10.12 A. M.

A true copy attest:

AMY B. LYON,

Town Clerk.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF COMMITTEE OF FIFTEEN

Rumford, Maine, January 22, 1937.

To The Citizens of the Town of Rumford:

Your Committee of Fifteen has held 14 meetings to consider the various requests brought before it and contained in the articles of the warrant for 1937.

There are several matters of importance which the committee feels should be called to attention as worthy of the careful judgement of the voters and the efficient management by the officers of the Town.

First. Three things are outstanding in their effect on the Town and responsible to a large degree for its present condition; the effects of the depression; the loss of a major industry, due largely to Southern competition; and the damage caused by the unprecedented flood of last March.

The committee has shaped its recommendations, in the past, on the policy of getting through the depression before undertaking the retirement of indebtedness. The Town has been increasing its debt faster than it has retired its obligations. Due to the fact that the Town's debt is rapidly approaching the debt limit, the committee considers that the \$25,000. of notes and bonds coming due this year are all that can be refunded. Thereafter, it is your committee's recommendation that the Town adopt a rigid policy of "pay-as-you-go," create no further deferred financial obligations and settle into a long term policy of retiring completely its funded debt. Once this debt and its attendant interest is cleared up, the Town will eliminate an annual expense of from \$30,000 to \$35,000.

Second. A quick comparison of the whole program recommended for 1937 as compared with 1936 is as follows:

	1937	1936
Total to be raised-----	\$402,052	\$411,147
Proposed by loan-----	25,000	39,500
Proposed by taxation-----	377,052	371,647
Increase for 1937-----	5,405	

Third. A brief analysis of 1937 recommendations:

School accounts and school district-----	\$108,900	27.1%
Relief accounts and aid to needy-----	75,879	18.9
State and County tax, estimated-----	73,485	18.3
Interest and retirement of debt-----	40,695	10.1

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Operating expense, salaries & aid to civic organizations-----	38,963	9.7
Roads & bridge maint. summer & winter_	33,215	8.2
Flood damage, peculiar to this year only_	30,915	7.7
Totals -----	\$402,052	100.0 %

Of this total amount, practically 90 % is fixed almost beyond change unless a drastic departure from present standards of operations is placed in effect. This means that only about 10 % offers any chance for variation.

Fourth. We call attention to a long standing, increasing and objectionable tendency to overdraw appropriations. We realize that the present trying conditions are a contributing factor in this matter and also that certain items, over which there is no rigid control, may make overdrafts unavoidable in certain accounts. However, we commend the school department for consistently operating within its several appropriations and submit that there is ample room for improvement in this direction by other departments.

For this reason, we urge that more attention be given to an audited statement each month to show the amount of funds available, the amount expended and the balance remaining in each account or appropriation. If this is done, and the program or policy changed from time to time as this audit indicates, we believe the most of the overdrafts can be eliminated and all of them reduced by more efficient administration and elimination of waste.

The Committee of Fifteen again states that it has only the power of recommendation and no control over the administrative officers of the Town nor over the legislative functions of the meetings. The voters, in electing their officers and in making appropriations, have the control of the results to be expected. The details of the 1937 recommendation of your committee are given below:

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

STATE OF MAINE.

COUNTY OF OXFORD, SS:

To William F. Cyr, Constable of the Town of Rumford, in said county.

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine, you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of the Town of Rumford, qualified by law to vote in Town Affairs, to assemble at the Town Hall in the Municipal Building, in said Town, on the first day of February, A. D. 1937, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles, to wit:

The Polls will open for balloting on elective officers upon order of the Moderator and will be closed at six o'clock in the afternoon.

Art. 1st. To choose a moderator to preside over said meeting.

Art. 2nd. To choose by ballot in accordance with Section 2 of the Charter for the Town of Rumford: One Selectman and Overseers of the Poor; One Assessor; Tax Collector; Town Clerk; Town Treasurer and One Member of the School Committee.

Art. 3rd. To see if the Town will vote to fix the salaries for the various Town Officers for the ensuing year, (a) Selectmen and Overseers of the Poor; (b) Assessors; (c) Town Clerk; (d) Town Treasurer; (e) School Committee.

Art. 4th. To establish a rate percent for the collection of Taxes, or fix the salary of the Tax Collector for the ensuing year.

Art. 5th. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Constable for the Town of Rumford for the ensuing year.

Art. 6th. To see if the Town will allow a discount on all taxes paid before a specified time, or charge interest on all taxes unpaid after a specified time, or both, and to raise a sufficient sum of money to defray the discount voted. --- ---

Art. 7th. To see if the Town will vote to accept the report of the Municipal Officers of said Town, for the year ending December 31st, 1936.

- Art. 3rd—Recommend that the salaries of the officers enumerated be the same as paid in the year 1936.
- Art. 4th—Recommend that the rate percent for the collection of taxes be the same as paid in 1936.
- Art. 5th—Recommend that the election of a Constable for the Town of Rumford for the year 1937.
- Art. 6th—Recommend that interest at the rate of 6% per annum be charged on all taxes remaining unpaid after October 1, 1937.
- Art. 7th—No action taken by the committee.

Art. 8th. To see if the Town will authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to hire such sums of money as may be necessary, to pay Town Charges and town debt in anticipation of the collection of taxes, and to issue and negotiate the notes of the Town for the money, so borrowed, to an amount not exceeding, in the aggregate, the total tax levy for the preceding Municipal Year as temporary loans to be paid during the year 1937 out of money raised during said year 1937 by taxes.

Art. 9th. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to pay or renew any note of the Town, given in the year 1937, in anticipation of taxes by the issuance of a new note or notes to be paid before December 31st, 1937, out of money raised during said year 1937 by taxes.

Art. 10th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for a School Fund, said School Fund to include funds for High School, Common School, Fuel, Text-books and Supplies for the year 1937.

Art. 11th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the purpose of making the necessary repairs to the School houses for the year 1937.

Art. 12th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for School Insurance for the year 1937.

Art. 13th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for School Miscellaneous for the year 1937.

Art. 14th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Evening School for the year 1937.

Art. 15th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for School Lights and Water for the year 1937.

Art. 16th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for instruction in Home Economics for the year 1937.

Art. 17th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for instruction in Manual Training for the year 1937.

Art. 18th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Abatement of Taxes for the year 1937.

Art. 8th—Recommend that authorization be granted.

Art. 9th—Recommend that authorization be granted.

Art. 10th—Recommend the sum of \$87,150.

Art. 11th—Recommend the sum of \$1,000.00.

Art. 12th—Recommend the sum of \$2,425.00.

Art. 13th—Recommend the sum of \$4,200.00.

Art. 14th—Recommend the sum of \$500.00.

Art. 15th—Recommend the sum of \$2,500.00.

Art. 16th—Recommend the sum of \$800.00.

Art. 17th—Recommend the sum of \$1,500.00.

Art. 18th—Recommend the sum of \$3,000.00.

Art. 19th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to assist the local Militia Company for the year 1937.

Art. 20th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to be given to the Chisholm Ski Club, to maintain the Skating Rink, Sled Slide and Ski Jump, for the year 1937.

Art. 21st. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the observance of Memorial Day, to be expended under the direction of the Osgood-Eaton Relief Corps; and to see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the observance of Armistice Day, said money to be expended under the direction of the Napoleon Ouellette Post of the American Legion.

Art. 22nd. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Insurance for the year 1937, this insurance to include a policy for Compensation Insurance.

Art. 23rd. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Miscellaneous expenses for the year 1937.

Art. 24th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Office Supplies and Officers Expenses for the year 1937.

Art. 25th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Operation and Maintenance of the Municipal Building for the year 1937.

Art. 26th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay the Salaries of the Town Officers for the year 1937.

Art. 27th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Repair of Roads and Bridges for the year 1937.

Art. 28th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Winter Maintenance of Roads for the year 1937.

Art. 29th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to purchase New Equipment, and how the same shall be raised.

Art. 30th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Tarvia for the year 1937.

Art. 31st. To see if the Town will vote "yes" or "no" on the question of appropriating or raising the money necessary to entitle the Town to State Aid, as provided in Section 20, Chapter 28, Revised Statutes of 1930.

Art. 19th—Recommend the sum of \$150.00.

Art. 20th—Recommend the sum of \$300.00.

Art. 21st—Recommend the sum of \$75.00 for each of the two purposes.

Art. 22nd—Recommend the sum of \$2,663.51.

Art. 23rd—Recommend the sum of \$3,000.00.

Art. 24th—Recommend the sum of \$3,000.00.

Art. 25th—Recommend the sum of \$3,500.00.

Art. 26th—Recommend the sum of \$19,000.00.

Art. 27th—Recommend the sum of \$10,000.00.

Art. 28th—Recommend the sum of \$7,000.00.

Art. 29th—Recommend the sum of \$2,000.00 for the purchase of a motor grader to be paid for out of the Equipment Reserve Fund.

Art. 30th—Recommend the sum of \$3,000.00.

Art. 31st—Recommend that the Town vote "yes".

Art. 32nd. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 28, Section 27, Revised Statutes of 1930, for the construction of a State Aid Road, leading easterly from Andover Village through Roxbury-Notch, so called, in the Town of Roxbury; thence through towns of Roxbury, Mexico and Rumford, on the west side of the Swift River; thence through the compact section of Rumford, and over Route 120, thus connecting with Route No. 26 at Bryant Pond, for the year 1937.

Art. 33rd. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the improvement of the section of State Road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission (in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provision of Sec. 9, Chap. 28, Revised Statutes of 1930, or under the provisions of Sec. 3, Chap. 175, Public Laws of 1933.

Art. 34th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to appropriate and raise for the Patrol of the State Aid Highway for the year 1936, as required by law, Section 18, Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes of 1930.

Art. 35th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the Maintenance of the Third Class Road for the year 1937, as required by law, Section 46, Chapter 28 of the Revised Statutes of 1930.

Art. 36th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to be expended for the purchase of materials to be used on WPA projects in 1937.

Art. 37th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Mother's Aid for the year 1937.

Art. 38th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, to be paid to the Rumford Community Hospital, for Hospital care of Town Poor for the year 1937.

Art. 39th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of Town Poor for the year 1937.

Art. 40th. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of the Rumford Public Library for the year 1937.

Art. 41st. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to pay Interest on Town Debt for the year 1937.

Art. 32nd—Recommend the sum of \$1,865.00.

Art. 33rd. Recommend the sum of \$1,335.00.

Art. 34th—Recommend the sum of \$540.00.

Art. 35th—Recommend the sum of \$975.00.

Art. 36th—Recommend the sum of \$5,000.00.

Art. 37th—Recommend the sum of \$5,000.00.

Art. 38th—Recommend the sum of \$2,500.00 and further
recommend that any necessary expense over this
amount be charged to the support of Town Poor.

Art. 39th—Recommend the sum of \$40,000.00.

Art. 40th—Recommend the sum of \$4,000.00.

Art. 41st—Recommend the sum of \$15,695.00.

Art. 42nd. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty-two thousand six hundred forty-three and 58/100 (\$32,643.58) dollars to take care of the 1936 Net Overdrafts.

Art. 43rd. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate and raise by loan or taxation, the sum of three thousand (\$3,000) dollars, 17th payment due on Municipal Building Bonds issued January 1st, 1916, at the Rumford Falls Trust Company; the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.) dollars, 12th payment due on Funding Bonds issued July 1st, 1921, at the First National Bank of Boston; the sum of three thousand (\$3,000.) dollars, 9th payment due on first series of Bridge Notes issued October 15th, 1928, at the Rumford Falls Trust Company; the sum of two thousand (\$2,000.) dollars, 8th payment due on second issue of Bridge Notes issued July 15th, 1929, at the Rumford Falls Trust Company; and ten thousand (\$10,000.) dollars, 3rd payment due on Refunding and Improvement Bonds issued April 1st, 1934, at the National Bank of Commerce, Portland; and two thousand (\$2,000.) dollars, 2nd payment on Equipment Bond, issued November 1st, 1935, at the National Shawmut Bank of Boston; if by loan to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to issue and negotiate a series of notes or bonds of the Town, terms and conditions of said notes or bonds to be determined by the Selectmen.

Art. 44th. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty (\$50.00.) dollars for the local "Roosevelt Foundation" for the prevention and cure of Infantile Paralysis and how the same shall be raised.

Art. 45th. To see if the town, in consideration of the public benefit to encourage employment and industry will instruct the assessors to levy such a valuation upon the property formerly owned by the Continental Paper & Bag Mills Corporation as will produce an annual Tax of Four Thousand dollars (\$4,000.00) or such other definite amount of tax as may seem to the town advisable, for a period of ten years from 1937 to 1946 inclusive.

Art. 46th. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following as a By-Law:

"AN ACT TO ELIMINATE RADIO INTERFERENCE"

1. "All persons are forbidden within the limit of the Town of Rumford, in the County of Oxford, and State of Maine, to operate any electric power, or electrical flasher, or

Art. 42nd—Recommend the sum of \$32,643.58.

Art. 43rd—Recommend the sum of \$25,000.00 to be raised by loan.

Art. 44th—Recommend the sum of \$50.00.

Art. 45th—Recommend that the Assessors be instructed to levy such a valuation on the property formerly owned by the Continental Paper and Bag Corporation, as will produce an annual tax of \$4,000.00 for a period of ten years from 1937 to 1946, inclusive.

Art. 46th—No action by the committee.

electric motors, which by said operation interferes with radio reception of radio sets, and upon written notice given by any persons, police officers, constable, deputy-sheriff, justice of the peace, notary-public or any municipal officer of the Town of Rumford, to the owner of such interfering electrical power, flasher, or electrical motor, the said owner or operator of said electrical power, flasher, or motor, shall, within three days after receiving such notice, discontinue the operation of such electrical power, flasher, or motor, or cause to be eliminated the source of such interference to radio reception as complained of."

2. "Any person, who after such notice shall continue to be operated such electrical power, flasher, or motor, without taking the proper means to eliminate the effect of interference with radio reception, shall be liable to a fine of \$5.00 and costs upon complaint and warrant under like jurisdiction and procedure stipulated by law in matters of misdemeanor in the Town of Rumford."

Art. 47th. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$325. to purchase the following instruments for the High School Band and Orchestra: Bass Horn, \$165.; Baritone Horn, \$60.; Street Drum and Set of Orchestra Drum and Traps, \$100.

Art. 48th. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Assessors to continue the tax assessment now in effect on the property of the Rumford Real Estate Corporation, which fixes the amount of Town tax at \$500. per year, for another five year period, ending with the assessment for 1941.

Art. 49th. To see if the Town will appropriate and raise by taxation the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) as the Town's share of the construction of the proposed "Ridlonville" vehicular bridge, said money to be spent only in case said bridge is built in 1937.

Art. 50th. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following Traffic Rules and Regulations.

TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS RUMFORD, MAINE

Section 1. No vehicle shall park with its left hand side to the curb.

Section 2. No vehicle shall park or stand within an intersection of streets or within (20) feet of the near corner of the curb at any such intersection except to let off passengers.

Section 3. No vehicle shall stop in any case within (10)

- Art. 47th—Recommend the sum of \$325.00 and further recommend that the instruments remain the property of and in the care of the School Committee, said instruments to be used only for school purposes.
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- Art. 49th—Recommend the sum of \$5,000.00.
- Art. 50th—Recommend to pass over the article.

feet on either side of any public fire hydrant or package mail box.

Section 4. No vehicle shall remain backed up to the curb, except when actually loading or unloading and then only for a reasonable time.

Section 5. All vehicles standing or stopping in any street or parkway shall be placed parallel, with both right hand wheels within (18) inches from the curb.

Section 6. The word "parking" as used in this ordinance shall mean allowing a vehicle to remain stationary in the way or street.

Section 7. No vehicle shall park in any street or way in the Town of Rumford for a longer period than seven hours between 6 P. M. and 8 A. M. except on permit granted by the Selectmen.

Section 8. No vehicle shall park at any time on Congress Street between the Fire Station and Bridge Street, nor on Hartford Street between Canal Street and Congress Street for a longer period than one hour from 9:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M., and on Waldo St. between Rumford Avenue and Essex Avenue for a longer period than one hour from 9:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M.

No vehicle shall park on the west side of KNOX STREET from MAINE AVENUE TO OXFORD AVENUE.

No vehicle shall park on easterly side of FRANKLIN STREET from BRIDGE STREET TO MAINE AVENUE.

No vehicle shall park at any time on the Easterly side of RIVER STREET from HARTFORD STREET TO PORTLAND STREET.

No vehicle shall park at any time on the Southerly side of HARTFORD STREET from CONGRESS STREET TO RIVER STREET.

Parking space is provided for the easterly side of Canal Street, the westerly side of River Street, and on the westerly side of Congress Street, north of the New Fire Station.

Section 9. No vehicle of more than one ton capacity shall be allowed on CONGRESS STREET between PORTLAND STREET and BRIDGE STREET, except for the purpose of loading or making delivery and in no case, between the hours of eleven o'clock A. M. and six thirty P. M. shall there be any delivery of coal, barrels, and the collection of garbage, refuse, or waste materials on said CONGRESS STREET, between PORTLAND STREET and BRIDGE STREET.

Section 10. No person having charge of any vehicle shall refuse or neglect to stop the same or place the same as directed by a police officer directing the traffic.

Section 11. No vehicle shall turn around and reverse its direction on CONGRESS STREET between HARTFORD STREET and BRIDGE STREET.

Section 12. The maximum speed limit within the built-up sections shall not exceed 25 miles per hour.

Section 13. Whoever violates any of the provisions of the foregoing rules and regulations shall be punished by a fine not exceeding ten (\$10) dollars for each offense.

Art. 51st. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 to be used in surfacing and putting the playground at Virginia (The Brooks Field so called) in shape.

Art 52nd. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise for culverts, and for proper drainage in the Virginia Section of the town, commencing at the Steam Laundry on Chapln Street, and continuing to the river.

Art. 53rd. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100. to help defray the expenses of the State Encampment of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, to be held at Rumford on June 18, 19, 20, 1937.

Notice is hereby given that the Selectmen will be in session at the Selectmen's Office in the Municipal Building on January 30th, A. D. 1937, from nine o'clock A. M. to five o'clock P. M. to hear and decide upon the application of persons claiming the right to have their names entered upon the check list.

Given under our hands this 20th day of January A. D. 1937.

FRANK TAYLOR
JOHN A. RUBINO
CLARENCE ABBOTT
Selectmen of Rumford.

A true copy, Attest:

WILLIAM F. CYR,
Constable of the
Town of Rumford.

Art. 51st—Recommend the sum of \$200.00.

Art. 52nd—Recommend that the article be passed over.

Art. 53rd—No recommendaion because of lack of information.

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP W. THOMAS, Chairman
ARTHUR F. HINDS, Secretary
FRED O. EATON
JOHN B. MARTIN
PETER M. MACDONALD
ROBERT CLUNIE
WM. J. FLANAGAN
R. BROOKS STRATTON
T. F. SPEAR
MATTHEW MCCARTHY
S. WILL ROBERTS
E. C. FROST
JAMES MCGREGOR
JOSEPH I. DORION
WALTER G. HICKS

Rumford, Maine, January 21, 1937.

Pursuant to the within warrant to me directed, I have notified and warned the Inhabitants of the said Town of Rumford, qualified as therein expressed to assemble at the time and place and for the purpose therein mentioned by posting attested copies of the within warrant: one at the Post Office, Rumford Center, Maine; one at the Post Office, Rumford Point, Maine; one in the Municipal Building, Rumford, Maine, and one in front of the Municipal Building, Rumford, Maine; being public and conspicuous places in said Town on the twentieth day of January A. D. 1937, being at least seven days before said meeting.

And I also caused an attested copy of the within warrant to be published in the Rumford Falls Times, a paper printed in said Town of Rumford in its issues dated January 21, 1937 and January 28th, 1937.

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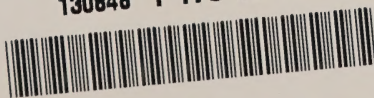
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TOWN OF RUMFORD INDEBTEDNESS
JANUARY 1, 1937

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